

**THIS WEEK TO BE  
DECISIVE ONE IN  
STATE ASSEMBLY****Sales Tax Hike Approval  
Awaited to Take Up  
Appropriations****DRASTIC SLASHES  
TO BALANCE BUDGET****Social Security Measure  
Expected to Draw Back  
House Members**

JEFFERSON CITY, May 15.—The coming week should be the decisive one in writing the record of the 59th general assembly of Missouri on major legislation.

Monday afternoon the senate will plunge into the question of the 2 per cent sales tax—an increase of one per cent over the present rate—and in settling it will give the appropriations committee a definite figure to work on in cutting requests to fit funds.

The Casey social security bill is the magnet expected to draw back house members, who have absented themselves in such large numbers since dollar-day pay began to be irksome that little business has been transacted on that side of the capital for three weeks.

Observers saw little chance for senate defeat of the 2 per cent sales tax measure—already passed by the house—or even a repetition of last year's prolonged debate on the 1 per cent bill.

All the social security legislation is built around the 2 per cent sales tax. Its defeat would mean either abandonment of a large part of the program, or "starting over" to build revenues from other sources.

Unemployment compensation will be at the top of the senate calendar whenever the sales tax is disposed of.

Passage of the big revenue measure also will be the signal for the senate appropriations committee, headed by J. S. Rollins, Columbia, to perform the hardest job in the assembly—cutting the budget to fit the money available.

**More Money Asked**  
"Every department and institution getting money from general revenue has asked for more money than it got two years ago—with three exceptions," Rollins has said.

"Actually, the social security program will absorb most of the new revenues in sight, so that drastic slashes will have to be made in order to get a budget balance."

Old age assistance is expected to take 15 million dollars, relief 10 million—or 4 million more than during 1935-36, and cost of the new program of aid to dependent children has been estimated as high as 4 million dollars.

"Small" items which have added to appropriation requests include approximately a million dollars for furnishing buildings erected under the state building program; \$271,000 for prison rebuilding because of increased costs since bids were first opened; and an unnamed amount to buy land for the new outgoing prison.

The question of back old age pensions—an item of 4 to 8 million dollars—also has yet to be settled.

The committee may cut the share of general revenue funds going to schools below the one-third allotted for many years, but probably not to the constitutional minimum of one-fourth. A reduction from 33 to 30 per cent, it has been said, would give the schools far more money than at any time in the past, and still release approximately \$2,400,000 for other purposes.

Other senate problems include the 15 per cent allocation to high tax school districts, the three-cent gasoline tax, the minimum wage law, the proposed new probation and parole commission, and permanent registration.

The house must act on the Casey bill, decide whether or not to accept the senate's version of unemployment compensation which carries the pooled type fund, and get a vote on proposed centralization of executions by lethal gas at the state prison.

It also has before it for acceptance of senate amendments, the county treasurer bill and the measure placing guards at the state prison on a 56-hour week. Reduction of pleasure car license fees by half likewise is on the house calendar.

**John P. Feeney Dies**  
BOSTON, May 15.—John P. Feeney, 64, widely known Boston criminal lawyer and prominent in Democratic politics, died today after a heart attack. He was personal counsel for former Governor James M. Curley.

**Director of Speakers' Bureau**  
JEFFERSON CITY, May 15.—(P)—Appointment of Mrs. J. Frederic Allebach, Jefferson City, as director of the speakers bureau for the Missouri Federation of Women's Democratic clubs was announced here today.

**COUNCIL TO TAKE UP  
BUDGET FOR YEAR**

The city council, Mayor Julian H. Bagby presiding, will meet Monday night and pass on the proposed budget for the coming year, which will be presented by the finance committee, Elmer Summers, chairman, Dr. F. M. Fulkerson, and S. J. Timbortious.

Mayor Bagby will also give a report on a conference held with representatives of the Sedalia Water Company with reference to an adjustment of water rates.

**FLOWER LOVERS  
INTERESTED IN  
COMING SHOW****Attractive Display With  
Many Entries Be Offered Friday**

All lovers of flowers are looking forward with much pleasure to the amateur flower show, sponsored by the Garden Club of Sedalia. The show will be open to the public from 1:00 to 9:00 p. m. Friday, May 21, at the Thompson Chevrolet Company, Fourth street and Osage avenue.

This flower show is not confined to the members of the Garden Club. It is a community affair, an attraction to which everyone who grows flowers is invited to compete, as well as to visit on the day of the showing. Those in charge ask amateur flower growers to show their flowers for they may have plants unknown to other growers.

Garden Club members have spared no effort to make this event an outstanding one. All committees and their chairmen have been carefully selected by Mrs. O. W. Bagby, flower show chairman, and the following chairmen from the other circles: Mrs. Lucy Bothwell, Mrs. C. E. Van Horn, Mrs. G. W. Chambers and Mrs. E. W. Kettleson. Each committee is functioning like clock work.

Competent judges will be obtained by the club president, Mrs. Landon Welch, and the circle chairmen, Mrs. W. P. Tucker, Mrs. A. A. Ferguson, Mrs. C. L. Carter, Mrs. J. L. Saunders and Mrs. A. R. Griffee. Ribbons will be awarded in all groups and classes. The classification list has been compiled by Mrs. Herbert Seifert and her committee. This list was published in the Tuesday issue of The Sedalia Democrat and Capital Wednesday morning.

Mrs. R. R. Hightleyman is chairman on information and will gladly tell exhibitors how to prepare potted plants and cut flowers for exhibition. She may be reached by calling 2994.

An interesting program and entertainment is being planned by Mrs. Henry Salveter and her committee. This feature always proves popular at the flower show as beautiful flowers seem to inspire artists and musicians.

Another attraction is a passer-faire-passer (while away awhile) Tea Garden, plans for which are being made by Mrs. Ida Harriman and her committee. The floral decorations for this scene will be the compliments of Archibald Floral Company, Call 342 to get in touch with Mrs. Harriman.

Arrangements have been made by the entry committee for a table to be placed in the corridor on the ground floor of the courthouse at which entries for the flower show will be received. Members of the committee will be there on Monday from 2 to 5 p. m., Tuesday, 9 to 12 and 2 to 5; Wednesday, 9 to 12 and 2 to 5. No entries may be made after 5 o'clock Wednesday. Should an entry be made and flowers or plants not be in suitable condition for showing on the date of the flower show, there is no obligation to make the exhibit.

Each exhibitor shall be given a tag for each entry made. These tags must be attached to the proper exhibit by the exhibitor before the opening of the flower show Friday.

**PUBLIC INVITED TO  
SYMPHONY CONCERT**

The public is invited to the free concert to be presented at 3 o'clock this afternoon at Smith-Cotton high school by the Sedalia Symphony orchestra.

Abe Rosenthal, conductor, will direct a program of popular classics which will be familiar to the audience.

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**UNION MAPS A  
BARGAINING DRIVE  
IN STEEL PLANTS****Endeavor For Contracts  
With Five Big Steel  
Corporations****CRISIS POSSIBLY BE  
REACHED TUESDAY****Three Have Declined to  
Sign For Exclusive  
Rights Demanded**

By The Associated Press.  
PITTSBURGH, May 15.—Philip Murray, delegated the power to force contracts with five big independent steel corporations, hinted tonight a strike call might be issued "within ten days" unless agreements were reached.

"We are handling each case as separate and distinct problems, but I would say that a very definite announcement will be made in each case within ten days," asserted the chairman of the steel workers' organizing committee, a unit of the John L. Lewis Committee for Industrial Organization.

"If the companies persist in refusing to sign labor contracts, strikes are inevitable," he added. Murray was referring to the Bethlehem, Republic, Youngstown Sheet and Tube, Inland and Crucible Steel Corporations, who employ almost 200,000 workers. The first three concerns definitely have declined to sign the contracts calling for exclusive bargaining agency powers for their workers as demanded by Murray.

Murray said the first crisis would likely develop next Tuesday when A. F. Hohnage, chairman of Crucible Steel, meets with him here. Another conference has been scheduled for Tuesday, May 25, with the chairman of the Inland Steel Corporation in Chicago.

**Issue On Bargaining**  
Between these two meetings will be held the government supervised election at Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation plants to determine whether the union will be the exclusive bargaining agent of the men. Murray's statements came after an all-day conference of more than 60 heads of union locals and sub-regional directors in the districts of the Youngstown, Sheet and Tube, Republic, Inland and Crucible mills.

These delegates made their efforts of progress, which Murray said were "highly satisfactory and indicated we have a majority membership in every plant."

Murray said no sudden strike call was contemplated, but that he would not commit himself to public announcements on his plans. The union chieftain mobilized the attack 24 hours after he had obtained what he called a "complete victory" in settling the strike involving 27,000 workers at the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation plants in Pittsburgh and Aliquippa, Pa.

Murray declared delegates at the conference indicated Republic Steel, with 25,000 workers, "was going further in a campaign of intimidation, coercion and actual discharge of employees in matters affecting our organization than any other company."

He said affidavits were now being prepared for submission to the national labor relations board at Washington listing the alleged instances in Republic mills.

**DISCUSS OCEAN HOP  
WITH PRESIDENT**

WASHINGTON, May 15.—(P)—Dick Merrill and Jack Lambie, gave President Roosevelt today a first hand account of their two-way hop across the Atlantic.

Flying here in a regular passenger plane from New York, where they completed the second half of their New York-London-New York trip yesterday, the aviators made a hurried call on the white house with their backer, Ben Smith.

"The president was very interested in the altitudes we flew, weather conditions and how the instruments and motor functioned," Merrill said later.

The fliers said the feasibility of regular transatlantic commercial air plane service was not mentioned at their brief meeting.

**Marriage Licenses Issued**  
Orville Edward Thomas and Laura Mildred Watring, both of Ottaville.

Everett Hartford Scott and Marian Roach, both of Jefferson City.  
Robert James Palmer, Beaman and Audrey Pauline Knapp, Sedalia.  
William Andrew Schlen and Susan Naomi Tanksley.

**Bothwell Hospital Notes**  
Louis Tagmeyer, of Stover, was admitted for medical treatment.

A. R. Holloway, of Warsaw, was admitted for surgery.

Mrs. Zelma Barnes, of 318 East Saline, underwent an operation Saturday.

Lawrence Castle, of Ottaville, was admitted for surgery.

**AMELIA EARHART  
PLANS FOR HOP-OFF**

By The Associated Press.  
ST. LOUIS, May 15.—James Ewing Rowan, managing director of the St. Louis air show, said today he had been informed Miss Amelia Earhart would take off from the west coast next Saturday. If weather conditions were favorable, on a second attempt to fly around the world. Rowan said his information came from Paul Mantz, Miss Earhart's technical advisor at Burbank, Calif., with whom he spoke over long-distance telephone.

Mantz was a member of the crew of her "flying laboratory" when Miss Earhart flew to Hawaii on the first leg of her projected globe-circling trip a few weeks ago. He was not aboard, however, when the plane crashed on an attempted takeoff there for the second leg of the flight.

He telephoned Rowan to say he would not accompany Miss Earhart but would compete in the international aerobatic contest to be held here in connection with the air show, May 29-31.

**FORMER ADJ. GEN.  
EARP NAMED TO  
HIGHWAY POST****Appointed By Gov. Stark  
Chairman of State Highway Commission**

By The Associated Press.  
JEFFERSON CITY, May 15.—Former Adjutant General Claude C. Earp of Nevada, Mo., was appointed by Governor Lloyd C. Stark this afternoon as chairman of the State Highway Commission.

Earp's appointment as successor to George F. Olendorf, Springfield, a diverting man, ends several months' speculation on the personnel of the commission under the new administration.

In a press release announcing the selection of the new chairman, the governor's office said Olendorf "resigned on account of the demands of his private business."

Olendorf, however, will continue to serve until Earp's appointment is confirmed by the senate. Earp, one of the owners and publishers of the Nevada Daily Mail and a Democrat in politics, will serve for a term ending December 1, 1941.

Besides Earp, the highway commission will be composed of H. G. Simpson of Charleston, also a Democrat, and Robert D. Brooks of St. Louis and Edward W. Gray of Maryville, Republicans.

Simpson, who was reappointed last week, will be the only hold-over from the Park administration. Earp, who is 50 years old and a native of Barton County, served as adjutant general of Missouri the last six weeks of the Park administration, following the death of Gen. Harold W. Brown, also of Nevada. He holds a commission of colonel in the Missouri National Guard, with which he had been connected a quarter of a century.

The new highway commission chairman took a prominent part in the \$75,000,000 road bond issue campaign in 1925, of which Stark was general chairman.

Stark said Earp was "recognized as a student of highway matters and has long been a good roads booster."

Brooks was named early in the Stark administration to succeed the late Col. Arthur T. Nelson of Lebanon, Gray was appointed May 3 to fill the vacancy created by the resignation in January of H. B. Pyle of Mound City.

**TRIO OF BANDITS ESCAPE  
WITH \$388 PAYROLL**

KANSAS CITY, May 15.—(P)—Three bandits escaped with the \$388 payroll of the American Meat Co. Inc., here today after forcing to the curb a car in which Mrs. Gertrude Eastherton and Miss Helen Kibitzki, company employees, were taking the money to the firm from a bank.



CLAUDE C. EARP  
Former Adjutant General of Missouri succeeds George F. Olendorf as chairman of the State Highway Commission.

**FIVE KILLED AS  
TRAIN HITS CAR**

By The Associated Press.  
MILTON, Vt., May 15.—A Washington-Montreal express train and a school-bound automobile collided at an unprotected grade crossing here today, killing the driver of the car and four school children who sacrificed their Saturday holiday to make up "lost time" at their books. John C. Vasseur, 37, driver of the car; Rene Laroche, 11, and her brother Howard, 13; Early Murray, 8, and Earl Fuller, 14, all of Milton. They were the only occupants of the automobile.

**Five Killed in Ohio**  
HAMILTON, O., May 15.—(P)—Mrs. Mary Belle Campbell, 54, and four of her children were killed, and two other children critically injured late today in an automobile-train collision at a crossing, 12 miles northwest of here.

The dead are, Lena Campbell, 19, driver of the Campbell automobile; Paul Campbell 12, Martha Campbell 16, and Vinnie Campbell, 8.

**CREW SURVIVOR  
OF HINDENBURG  
STARTS HIS STORY****As Victims Increase to  
36 Hans Freund Tells  
of Blast**

By The Associated Press.  
LAKEHURST, N. J., May 15.—The investigators of the Hindenburg disaster unexpectedly discovered today a man who could tell them what he saw happen in the dirigible's stern when it was torn with a flaming explosion.

Considered one of the most important crew survivors yet found, Hans Freund, a rigorous officer, told the commerce department investigating board and its staff of American and German advisors that he was on duty in the ship's tail at the time and near the spot where disaster struck so suddenly.

Freund had been called as another routine crew survivor witness so that he might sail for his German home tonight with 20 other comrades who have told their stories.

His apparent knowledge of the moment of disaster so impressed the investigators, however, that he was suddenly withdrawn from the stand and his thorough examination deferred until Monday.

While today's brief hearing was in progress, the loss of life from the airliner tragedy of May 6 in crossed to thirty-six. A German passenger on the last flight, O. Ernst, 75, a Hamburg cotton importer died this morning.

Freund had little chance to get launched on his story before he was withdrawn. He did reveal, however, that a manila landing rope was momentarily fouled by two fins of the ship during landing operations.

Dr. Hugo Eckener, head of the Zeppelin Corporation, was invited to tell the board have his questions before his departure for a week-end in New York, where he and his colleagues of the official German investigating mission plan to talk with Captain Mac Pruss, skipper of the Hindenburg, and other injured survivors.

**APPROVE TRACT FOR  
SILVER DEPOSITORY**

By The Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, May 15.—The treasury department announced today that approval had been obtained from the secretary of war for the use of a four-acre tract near West Point, N. Y., for a depository to store silver. The area is the property of the war department.

The tract is located just off Storm King highway near the old north entrance to the West Point military grounds.

The treasury's 1936 building plan contemplated the expenditure of \$600,000 on the depository.

It will be similar in some respects to the gold depository at Fort Knox, Ky., except that the silver will not be stored in vaults. The capacity has been estimated at 70 tons of silver.

**E. J. BECKER, LIQUOR  
SUPERVISOR, CRITICALLY ILL**

KANSAS CITY, Kas., May 15.—(P)—E. J. Becker, of Kansas City, Missouri liquor control supervisor, was in a critical condition tonight at the University of Kansas hospital. He entered the hospital about two weeks ago for treatment of a kidney ailment.

**MEETING BY MEDICAL  
SOCIETY IS POSTPONED**

The meeting of the Pettis County Medical Society announced for Monday night, May 17, has been postponed to Monday, May 24, when Dr. Scott P. Childs, of the tuberculosis sanitarium at Mt. Vernon, Mo., will be the speaker.

**'NO COMPROMISE'  
EDICT SIGNALS  
'BATTLE GO ON'****Court Reform Measure  
May Bring Long Debate  
In Senate****FIRST SHOWDOWN  
COMES TUESDAY****Hints of Retirements If  
President Would With-  
draw Bill**

By The Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, May 15.—The administration's "no compromise" edict on the Roosevelt court bill was the signal today for opposing forces to square away for a senate battle that may go down as one of the historic debates of all time, or may suddenly be dissolved by a surprise development.

Leaders of the opposition quickly accepted the challenge of administration leaders, who declared that "the battle will go on" for the bill submitted by President Roosevelt more than three months ago.

The unyielding "die-hards" among the opponents expressed gratification that the issue would be drawn on the unmodified bill. But from the moderates who had hoped for a compromise settlement, came a defiant statement that they might withdraw their offers and "kick" the administration on a "straight-out-vote."

This warning was issued by Senator McCarran (D-Nev.), who recently swung the balance of the senate judiciary committee against the proposal for six new supreme court justices by announcing his opposition, but who had been fighting for a compromise of two.

"Perhaps those of us who have been inclined to interpose compromise with the hope that we might go on with the legitimate business of the congress and the country will now be inclined to withdraw our proposals," McCarran said in a statement.

"If, as it appears, there is to be no willingness to compromise it might be the attitude of those who are against the administration plan to offer no compromise, but instead to bring the issue to a straight-out-vote and we've got them licked."

The more unyielding of the foes—such as Senator Wheeler (D-Mont)—had a different reaction. They expressed hope the President would "stand pat on no compromise" contending it would mean certain defeat for the bill. Privately, they expressed anxiety that a compromise might be negotiated.

While they prepared for the first showdown vote on the bill in the senate judiciary committee Tuesday, both sides watched anxiously for outside developments that might suddenly change the entire course of the battle.

Their eyes were centered on the supreme court itself—for a decision on the constitutionality of the social security act or for any indication of retirements. Either development, they said, might have a decisive influence on the outcome of the contest.

**Hints of Retirement**  
There were hints, in some high quarters, that Justice Van Devanter would soon announce his retirement without waiting for the outcome of the conflict.

Some of the court bill opponents said, however, that they felt certain there would be no retirements on the other hand, they added, there were indications that if the President would withdraw the court bill, three retirements would follow quickly.

In addition to Van Devanter, they said, Justices Brandeis and Sutherland would drop out of the court. All three of these justices are now past 75 years of age. Brandeis has been one of the "liberals," but the other two have voted consistently with the "conservative" group.

Barring some such outside development, congressional leaders forecast that the court battle would keep congress in session all summer.

An imposing legislative program in addition to the court bill, emerged from yesterday's White House conferences, Democratic Leader Rayburn (D-Tex.) said that in addition to relief, farm tenancy, expansion of TVA, wage and hour legislation, and the other issues mentioned yesterday, government reorganization was still in the picture.

The house will take up next week a bill to appropriate \$1,500,000,000 for next year's relief program. Despite President Roosevelt's insistence upon that figure, a vigorous movement was on in both houses to cut it to \$1,000,000,000.

**CONDITION OF DEAN W. E.  
MORROW CRITICAL**

WARRENSBURG, Mo., May 15.—(P)—The condition of Dean Walter E. Morrow of Central Missouri Teachers College here, who suffered a cerebral hemorrhage yesterday, remained critical tonight.

**WINS NATIONAL  
PIANO CONTEST**

Miss Ethel Wasserman, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wasserman, 524 North Osage avenue, won first award in the state high school piano contest in Columbia, Mo., recently, and was eligible to enter the national contest, in which she carried off first honors also in her class according to a telegram to her parents Saturday night.

Miss Wasserman, a senior in high school, is one of three sisters, all talented musicians. Rebecca plays the violin and Viola and Zepora the piano.

The honor Saturday is one of which Miss Wasserman and her many friends may be proud.

**SUPREME COURT  
MAY GIVE VITAL  
RULING MONDAY****Possible Opinion Be An-  
nounced on Social  
Security Litigation**

By The Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, May 15.—The supreme court met in secret conference today to prepare for a session Monday which may produce an epochal opinion on constitutionality of the administration's social security legislation.

This is the major controversy among the 25 cases awaiting decision before the justices adjourn for the summer early next month. Its outcome may have an important bearing on President Roosevelt's proposal to reorganize the tribunal.

At stake in the litigation are: 1. Constitutionality of the old age pension provisions of the federal act under which employers and employees are taxed to provide benefits for the workers when they reach 65. A total of 26,610,000 employees and 2,700,000 employers are paying the assessment.

George P. Davis of Waltham, Mass., challenged the pension system in a suit to prevent the Edison Electric Illuminating Company of Boston, from paying the levy. The circuit court at Boston held the legislation unconstitutional.

2. The unemployment insurance provisions of the federal act under which employers of eight or more persons are taxed to provide benefits for the jobless. They may deduct 50 per cent of the assessment provided it is paid into a state unemployment compensation fund approved by the federal Social Security Board.

This part of the act was attacked by the Chas. S. Steward Machine Company of Alabama. The circuit court of New Orleans upheld the legislation.

3. Constitutionality of laws passed by 43 states and the District of Columbia to provide unemployment compensation in line with the purpose of the federal measure. These states protect 18,530,000 workers. Only Delaware, Illinois, Missouri, Nebraska and Florida have failed to pass supplementary legislation.

The test case under consideration was directed against the Alabama act by the Southern Coal and Coke Company and by the Gulf States Paper Corporation. A three-judge federal district court in Alabama held the measure unconstitutional.

Similar legislation enacted by New York was held constitutional by the supreme court last November 23 by a four to four vote and without a written opinion. The evenly divided vote was due to the illness of Justice Stone.

**STUDIO STRIKE  
NEAR SETTLEMENT**

HOLLYWOOD, May 15.—Possibility that the strike of movie studio craftsmen and laborers may be settled before Monday developed tonight.

Pat Casey, labor conciliator for the producers, informed business manager, Charles Lessing of the striking federated motion picture crafts by letter "The producers have been and are willing to negotiate the matter of a union shop along with other demands."

Casey said he was replying to the F.M.P.C.'s insistence on "something in writing from the producers which will reasonably guarantee that union shop will be considered" negotiations to which producers have agreed if the strikers will return to work.

Casey told Lessing leaders of the striking machinists and culinary workers already had agreed to call their unions back to work Monday on the basis of verbal promises that union shop would be negotiated, along with other demands.

**Licensee to Wed**

A marriage license was issued in Kansas City Saturday to Burton W. Arnold of Joplin, and Sarah Smith, of Sweet Springs.

**WILL BUILD NEW  
GOVERNMENT IN  
WAR-TORN SPAIN****Caballero Undertakes Job  
of Forming a 'Win The  
War' Administration****BOMB HITS NEAR  
BRITISH EMBASSY****Insurgent Troops Push  
Within Seven Miles  
of Bilbao**

VALENCIA, Spain, May 15.—Stern, gray-haired Francisco Largo Caballero undertook tonight to form a new "win the war" Spanish government.

His second cabinet of the civil war fell this morning; four hours later he again was entrusted with the task of ministry-making.

The government crisis was traced to the anarchist revolt in Catalonia, still not entirely suppressed.

Largo Caballero, extreme Socialist, however, said he would try to form a new administration with the same political elements as the old Socialists, Left Republicans, Communists and Anarcho-Syndicalists.

While the premier worked in Valencia, the government's temporary capital was bombed by a fleet of insurgent airplanes. Several persons were reported wounded.

One bomb exploded in front of the British embassy, critically injuring the embassy's Spanish cook and wounding slightly a doorman. Windows were shattered as were those of a passing street car, in which several passengers were injured.

**Rush Toward Bilbao**  
In North Spain, meanwhile, insurgents pressed on in their offensive against Bilbao, Basque capital and important seaport.

Insurgents reported the northern wing of their army had reached the outskirts of Munguia, seven miles northeast of their main objective.

The southern wing was stated to have encircled Amorebieta, in a valley ten miles southeast of the seaport.

Five hundred children of the refugee-swelled population of the city, the Basque mission in Paris announced, will be evacuated to the United States.

Meantime, insurgents in the university city sector of Madrid, besieged while besieging the capital, carried on a war within a war.

Government militiamen held their fire as reports ran the length of the government trenches that a revolt had broken out among their foe.

They hazarded a guess a group in Santa Cristina hospital wanted to surrender to the government forces against the wishes of the force in the clinic hospital.

And at Gibraltar the British destroyer, disabled by an explosion that killed eight men and injured 14 Thursday off the coast of Spain, was towed stern-first into the harbor there.

**Investigate Explosion**  
A mixed investigating commission of British and Spanish officers continued a search for evidence of the cause of the explosion which British authorities earlier laid tentatively to a floating mine.

The ministry of marine here announced the discovery of a mine "of German manufacture" near the place where the Hunter was disabled.



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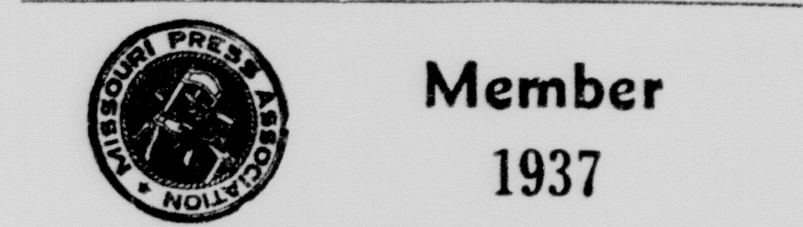
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**1937**  
WANING DICTATORSHIP  
Signs multiply that Adolf Hitler's power in Germany is on the wane. Financial difficulties have been increasing. The Nazi policies have brought protests from banks and mortgage institutions which are faced with a virtual suspension of business. The cost of living has increased greatly and there are serious food shortages. The Danubian states have refused to follow the Nazi business methods.



Though Hitler until lately has been exempted from criticism in his own land, there are many signs that great parts of the population are dissatisfied with his regime. "In spite of drastic penalties, the farmers refuse to deliver their products at the prescribed maximum prices," says Paul Schellenburg in The Magazine of Wall Street. "They prefer to feed their grain and potatoes to livestock, than to supply them for human consumption at government prices."

"The workers, low salaried employees and small business men complain of the low purchasing power of their income which grows steadily lower because of the increasing deductions and 'voluntary' contributions to different party organizations. High finance and private capital try to defend themselves against increasing government control and bureaucracy. The landed aristocracy of eastern Prussia feels threatened by the party program which provides parcelling of their lands into farmer's small settlements."

Continued oppression of every form of free opinion is resented over Germany and, more or less under cover, there are complaints which bode the Nazi authority no good. The German masses have lost faith that the Nazi policies will succeed. They are bearing the burdens of the dictatorship because they must, but soon or later there will be outbreaks.

The regimentation of the German people under the Nazi regime has been carried forward ruthlessly. There have been deep wounds and they are not healing. Meantime, the foreign policies of the Hitler government militate against assistance from other countries.

**SEIZED OPPORTUNITY**  
A capacity for accomplishment rises naturally to the top of any free society. The case against the political philosophy which has much of Europe in its thrall is partly that it drives intellectual leaders and people of character from the country and interferes with the process by which men of force and vision are able to assert themselves, as they are where thought and expression are free, and action is regulated only to the extent that it affects the rest.

To Americans, the story of the rise of William S. Knudsen is most familiar. The boy who rose from nothing to a place of eminence and renown is the theme of an extensive literature. Where man's niche in the community is settled at birth and any improvement in its depends on the whim of his betters, Cinderella is a favored character. With us, it is the local boy who makes good, the rail-splitter who rises to the Presidency, the immigrant who lands at Ellis Island with \$30 in his trousers and 36 years after is named the operating head of one of the world's greatest industries.

Today, the particular value of a reputation of so familiar a tale is its assurance that this is still America, a place of opportunity where man, to a larger degree than elsewhere, is master of his own fate. If the rightness of a system of government is to be determined by its capacity

for utilizing its resources of character and intellect, and the play it gives the born leader, democracy can court comparison with any political form. And if there are present tendencies which justify doubt and apprehension they are such as would interfere with the natural rise of those equipped by nature or their own exertions to lead and command and mold the national future.

As long as the Knudsen story is an everyday item, the America we have known is safe. When it passes into folklore, this will have become another and probably not a better society.

## SHERMAN WAS RIGHT

The best definition of war was given by Gen. Sherman who said: "War is hell." Observers the world over now see how true that statement was and is, as the president of the Basque republic in Spain appeals to the European powers for help in saving the lives of hundreds of thousands of non-combatants, women and children, quartered in besieged Bilbao.

Bilbao, bombed by insurgents, is being hammered to pieces. The Basques are fighting desperately to save themselves from defeat, but concentrated in the city, the Sioux City Journal asserts, are thousands who cannot help in the defense and who are exposed to the rain of aerial explosives dropped by the insurgent attackers. Refugees in the city have been killed in hundreds, and worse casualties are expected for the Spanish civil war continues with renewed vigor as the rebels bend every effort to achieve victory.

President Antonio Aguirre, representing the Basques, makes an emotional appeal to the powers when he says: "I ask the world if it will permit extermination of a people whose first thoughts always have been for the defense of liberty and democracy. I believe the nations will come to the rescue of 300,000 women and children in Bilbao who seek refuge today."

There was the pathetic cases of Ethiopia, a nation that had stood for some 2,000 years. It was older than Italy. It was a Christian country. But Italy wanted it, and Italy got it as the whole world looked on in disapproval but without action.

There also was Manchuria, a province of China. Japan wanted that area, and Japan broke international pacts to obtain the freedom of action necessary to make conquest of it. The world did not approve, but the world permitted Japan to have her way with a defenseless people.

Spain merely is giving the world a picture in miniature of what to expect when the next general conflict begins. Powerful nations can and will strike suddenly and swiftly when hostilities start. Destructive explosives will be hurled upon cities and towns without thought of the noncombatants' lives and property. Utter ruin will be the objective. Fiendish engines of war will be employed to terrorize those that escape death. That is war. And war is hell. Only the next real conflict will be many hells rolled into one.

## FARMING PROFITABLE AGAIN

From Paducah Sun-Democrat.

Agricultural income passed the half-way mark in 1936 in its climb from the bottom figure of \$752 per family in 1932 back toward the peak income figure of \$1,736 per family in 1929. The improvement is a gratifying indication of the return of normal times.

While family incomes on the farm have been advancing, the interest rates on mortgage money shrunk to four and one-half per cent in 1936, compared with five and one-half and six per cent in 1929. This also is good news to the farmer.

The family's total expense for farm operation last year was estimated at \$576, compared with \$911 in 1929. Government benefit payments accounted for \$64 of the average family's gross income in 1936, based on the latest available estimate. This leaves \$1,213 produced by the farm itself, for the average farm family. The figure includes value of produce consumed by the family, and value of harvested crops still in storage. Cash income, including government benefit payments, amounted to \$1,085 in 1936, compared with an average of \$616 cash income per United States family in 1932, and \$1,542 in 1929.

These figures prove conclusively that the farmer has a good chance to get back on his financial feet. Uncle Sam has been more than generous in his dealings with the rural workers.

About all you can say for a mustache is that it holds the ice cubes back while you are drinking.

It is hard to be a law-abiding citizen when you can't tell what the law is till the judge finishes talking.

# The MOUTHPIECE

EDGAR WALLACE and ROBERT CURTIS

READ THIS FIRST:  
A cable from America excites the interest of the stenographer in the dingy law office of Stuckey & Stuckey, London.  
NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY:

## CHAPTER 2

IN SOME unexplained way lawyers, and particularly solicitors, usually carry in their faces the unmistakable stamp of their profession. You can recognize them a mile off.

Charles Oliver Stuckey, however, was a pronounced exception to this rule. He bore none of the generic markings of the legal profession. Of medium height, with a sturdily built frame faintly suggestive of approaching corpulence, his hair was fair, curly, and abundant, and so far from there being anything hawklike in his appearance, his nose was short, fleshy, and with a distinctly unlegal tilt. The strength of the broad capacious forehead was largely offset by the smallness of his rounded indeterminate chin. For worldly success, a physiognomist would have said, it would have gone better with him had his forehead been molded along less generous lines and his jaw made more prognathous.

As he hung his hat and coat on a peg behind the door of his office and sank into the dingy leather chair in front of his desk, he gazed around him with an air of obvious distaste. Outside, the spring sunshine was brilliant and rejuvenating; such diluted rays as managed to seep through the murky window behind him served only to accentuate the dismal atmosphere of his official quarters.

With a shrug he turned his attention to the small pile of letters in front of him. As he read the cablegram his eyes widened and a look almost of benevolence came into his face.

He touched a bell-push on his desk and a moment later the door opened and Mr. Bells came in, fustily, in his hand a sheaf of documents, behind his ear a pencil, and on his face a look of absorption.

The lawyer looked up as he entered.

"Good morning, sir. You saw the cablegram I put on your desk?"

"Yes, I saw, what a bit of luck for Miss Smith!"

Bells inclined his head.

"Where are they now?" asked Stuckey.

"Miss Smith and her mother are at present staying in Vienna—the Hotel des Etrangers," the clerk said.

Stuckey smiled.

"You mean, I suppose, that they were there when last we heard from them?"

"Quite, sir. It is, of course, possible that by now Mrs. Smith has found it advisable to—"

"Oh, for Heaven's sake talk English!" snapped Stuckey irritably.

"What you mean is that by now the woman has exhausted her credit in Vienna, issued a few rubber checks and passed on to Budapest or somewhere."

"Exactly, sir."

"What a life!" the solicitor muttered. "Lord knows how the girl stands it!"

"Aloof he said: 'Well, they won't have to chisel their way through Europe any more. Miss Jacqueline is worth a million and a half dollars now!—he fingered the cablegram—and they can come back to England and settle down respectably and live in comfort.'"

"In some nice cathedral city, I would suggest, sir," put in Bells.

"I know you would: it's what I should have expected from you. But from what I have heard of Miss Jacqueline Smith, I scarcely think that nice cathedral cities are her proper setting."

"You have never met her, I believe, sir?" the clerk queried.

"No. Mrs. Smith was an old friend of my mother's, and when I started on my practice on my own she put her affairs into my hands."

He laughed mirthlessly. "If she knew the type of business we specialize in... She's about the only re-

spectable client I've got—and that's only by comparison!"

"Yes?" he turned his head inquiringly as, following a tap, the door opened and the port features of Elsie Harrington appeared.

"Will you see Captain Allwright, sir?" the girl asked.

Stuckey nodded.

"Yes, show him in."

The stout, red-faced man, dressed in seafaring clothes, who entered, beaming benevolence and breathing beer, strode up to the desk and, seizing the lawyer's hand, wrung it heartily.

"I came to thank you for what you did for me yesterday," he began.

"Oh, that's all right."

"All right?" echoed the caller. "I should say it was all right. Why, man, you're a marvel!"

He swung round to Bells. "What a masterpiece, your governor, eh? You ought to have heard him talking to the old bubble-and-squeak. Did he talk to me? I'll say he did!"

Stuckey smiled faintly.

"Well, that's all over now," he said. "I hope you'll have a pleasant voyage, Captain."

The seaman, however, was not to be sidetracked.

"They'd have given me a month, they would," he went on. "And mind you, I was as sober as a newborn child!"

"You were a bit nosey, Captain."

"Well, so's a newborn child. I said to the copper quite civilly: 'You go away and boil your face!'"

The lawyer nodded.

"Yes, that was a bit unfortunate."

"And he says: 'You're drunk. Drunk! And mind you, I hadn't had more than eight whiskies—well, I mean to say...'"

"Anyhow, you got off."

"Yes—and who got me off?" beamed Captain Allwright. "Now, Mr. Stuckey, what do I owe you? The last time I gave you..."

"Oh, see my clerk; he'll fix it."

"Right. Now, if there's anything I can do for you, Mr. Stuckey, you just say the word. You've been a good old pal of mine. You don't mind me saying that? My name's John Blunt."

Stuckey smiled faintly.

"Thanks, Captain," he replied, "but I can do for you, Mr. Stuckey, you could do for me."

"Come over to Antwerp for a trip," persisted Allwright. "There's the old tub," jerking a thumb in



The captain was beaming benevolence and breathing beer

the direction of the river, visible through the office window. "Why, you could step on the after deck from your window."

The solicitor shook his head.

"Thanks, but I'm not going abroad," he said.

Gratitude was dominating Captain Allwright's emotional system just then, however, and had to find expression. He leaned toward Stuckey and spoke in a confidential tone.

"Well, if any of your clients ever want to go abroad—you know what I mean?—in a hurry—never mind about passports, eh? Just stand on me."

"Thanks again, but I leave my clients to bolt in their own way."

The captain winked prodigiously and nodded his head several times.

"I understand," he said. "Well, no offense, I hope? I wouldn't hurt your feelings for the world."

Then, as a thought struck him: "Say, why not drop you off at Gravesend if you don't like the trip?"

"No, thanks." Stuckey's tone was brusque. "And now, Captain, I'm very busy."

"That's all right, old man," said the seaman. "What about a quick one?"

"No, thank you."

Disappointed, the man turned to Bells.

"What about you?" he invited.

Bells shuddered.

"I have never drunk intoxicants in my life," he affirmed.

A spasm of astonishment flashed across Allwright's face.

"Good Lord!" he breathed. "Well, don't die without knowing what it feels like. Good morning, Mr. Stuckey."

"Good morning," said the lawyer, and the next moment the captain had passed jauntily on his way.

"Open that window wide, Bells," said Stuckey. "Would you like a trip to Antwerp?"

"No, sir—not with that captain."

"He's a good seaman—when he's sober. What appointments have I this morning?"

"Only one, sir—Colonel Lutman. He is calling here at 10:15. In fact—Bells consulted his watch—"he said now."

"Hm!" said Stuckey, with a frown of distaste.

At that moment a heavy footstep was heard in the outer office.

"That sounds like him. All right, show him in."

(To Be Continued)

# The DAILY WASHINGTON MERRY GO ROUND

TRADE MARK REGISTERED

(Editor's Note: The Washington Merry-Go-Round's Brass Ring, good for one free ride, is the prize this week of Robert H. Jackson, 45-year-old Assistant Attorney General and leading New Deal crusader.)

WASHINGTON—There are many paradoxes in the New Deal, but none more extraordinary than Robert Houghton Jackson.

Neither a college man nor a professor, he has fathered more of the Administration's innovations than the famed Brain Trusters. He is one of the most advanced economic and social thinkers in Washington but has somehow escaped the fire and fury of the opposition while much less Leftist figures have been hounded and blasted. A former corporation lawyer and utility director, as a government attorney he has been one of the most aggressive and effective foes of these interests in the country.

And finally Jackson, devoid of political pull or power, has risen in three years through sheer brilliance of ability in an atmosphere surcharged with politics. From a modest private practice in Jamestown, N. Y., he rose to senior Assistant Attorney General, third in rank in the Justice Department.

That is a long way to go from scratch in so short a time. But keep your eye on this personable

young man in the next 3 years he will go much further. Governor of New York, Cabinet member, Justice of the Supreme Court—anyone of them is a good bet.

Know He Was Good  
The Capital has just begun to realize how good a man Jackson is. President Roosevelt and Secretary Henry Morgenthau have known it for a long time.

As Governor of New York Roosevelt appointed Jackson to a special commission to study the State's courts. Another member of the group was Herman O. Oliphant, of Johns-Hopkins University, now general counsel of the Treasury. The two men turned in a report that made legal history.

When Morgenthau assumed the Treasury portfolio in 1934, one of the first things he did was to bring Jackson to Washington and make him general counsel of the Internal Revenue Bureau. And one of the first things that Jackson did was to pick up the Mellon tax evasion suit where a Pittsburgh grand jury had dropped it.

Some months previous the jury had refused to indict the one-time Secretary of the Treasury and Ambassador to Great Britain on criminal charges. Jackson reopened the case in a \$3,000,000 tax recovery through various court actions to a and penalty suit, and fought it

show-down in the U. S. Board of Tax Appeals, which has been deliberating the matter for more than a year.

With this fusillade as a starter, Jackson swung into high gear as a New Deal crusader.

Many Crusades

He had an important part in the drafting of the violently opposed Stock Exchange regulation and Holding Company Acts, and in the 1935 and 1936 tax laws. When the fight over the first two measures shifted to the courts, he became the Government's ace sharpshooter on that firing line. In lower federal courts in Baltimore, New York and Washington, and before the Supreme Court, he battled the market operators and utilities to a standstill in their desperate efforts to tie up the enforcement of the statutes.

Jackson's advancement in rank kept pace with the enlargement of his activities. From the Internal Revenue Bureau he was elevated to Assistant Attorney General in charge of the tax division. Last winter he was promoted to senior Assistant Attorney General in command of the anti-trust division.

In this position Jackson again cracked down on "Uncle Andy" Mellon, this time with an anti-trust prosecution against the Aluminum Company of America. In the intervals between handling the trial work on this case and another big anti-trust suit in Wisconsin against a number of oil companies, Jackson has argued the Government's case before the Supreme Court on the Social Security Law and several other acts.

Well-Dressed Radical  
There is nothing of the wild-eyed radical about Jackson. Of middle height, slender and good-looking, he dresses well, is an

## "JUST TOWN TALK"

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excellent dancer and an accomplished horseman. With his wife, son and daughter, he lives on a lovely country estate in nearby Maryland. Mrs. Jackson is one of the most attractive and vivacious women in Washington. His daughter is an even better equestrian than he is.

Of Dutch extraction, Jackson was born on a small farm near Spring Creek, Pa., just across the New York border. He attended public schools in western Pennsylvania and in Jamestown, N. Y., where his family moved when he was a boy. He received his law degree from the Albany, N. Y., Law School. Before coming to Washington he had never held public office.

In Jamestown, Jackson practiced general law, and among his clients were some of the local corporations and utilities. He was also a director of one of the banks and the telephone company.

During the Mellon tax trial, Frank Hogan, the Pittsburgher's attorney, wanted to get into the record the fact that Jackson had once been counsel for the Niagara-Hudson Power Company, a Morgan corporation. Since he could not question Jackson directly, he resorted to finesse. He referred to the fact that his client had extensive utility holdings and then, pretending to forget the name of the Niagara-Hudson firm, turned to Jackson and inquired innocently:

"Perhaps you can help me out. As I recall, you represented this company for several years."

"Yes, indeed, Mr. Hogan," Jackson shot right back, "and you also will doubtless recall that Mr. Mellon was on the Morgan preferred list when they distributed the stock of this company at less than market price."

Jackson's Explanation  
During a recess in one of the court battles over the Holding Company Act, a utility lawyer remarked to Jackson: "If you don't mind my asking a personal question, in the light of your conventional background and corporation practice how did you ever come by your radical views?"

"There is no mystery about it," Jackson replied. "The explanation is very simple. I have represented corporations, banks and utilities, but I never was a corporation, bank or utility lawyer."

"As attorney for banks I saw how the small country banks were wrecked and looted by the bonds and securities unloaded on them by the big banks. As counsel for the relatively small business firms and utilities of Jamestown I had a chance to see how big business and monopoly went hand-in-hand. I saw the progressive concentration of wealth as local industries were pushed to the wall and taken over by the trusts and giant combines."

"I saw the destructive social effects of such monopoly on small communities. I saw the small business man, the small banker, the worker regimented and impoverished. I would say that my experience as a lawyer accounts for a substantial part of my liberalism."

"These are strange words from a lawyer, but they explain Jackson's statement in a recent speech before the New York Bar Association: 'It seems to me that the American Bar Association has pretty thoroughly identified itself with Maine and Vermont. Some people think we need a bar association to tion.'

Children who are left alone in a house can be taught the elements of first aid treatment, and this should be done. Knowing what to do for themselves, they are less apt to become panicky and helpless in an emergency.

1. Be sure to have a complete first aid kit in the home and another in the automobile.
2. In any emergency, keep calm.
3. Send at once for a doctor.
4. Never allow anything not sterilized to come into contact with any break in the skin.
5. Don't wash a wound, sterilize it with iodine or mercurchrome.
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## COMMENCEMENT AT HOUSTONIA THURSDAY NIGHT

### Graduation Program For Eighth Grade Held on Friday

The Houstonia high school commencement exercises were held at the Houstonia Christian church Thursday evening. The graduates were: Frances Ramseyer, Geneva Henderson, Edna Tammeyer, Copey Higgins, Clyde Andrew Killian, Lawrence R. Pummill, Hubert King, Hubert L. Stone, M. Ellis Neef, G. C. Smith, Jr., and Joe M. Jeffers.

The class motto was "Service," class flower white rose, and the class colors, blue and white.

The program presented at the commencement exercises was as follows:

Prelude, "Angel Serenade."  
Processional—Mrs. Joe Williams and Miss Myrtle Butts, R. S. Sewell, "In Maytime,"—Frances Ramseyer.

"Give Me the Open Road," Ambrose—Hubert King.

"Where Roses Used to Grow," Wilson—Frances Ramseyer, Mida Grinstead, Joe Jeffers, Hubert King.

Selection—Joe Jeffers.

Commencement address—Dr. M. E. Williams, pastor Trinity Episcopal church, Marshall.

Presentation of class—Miss Parkhurst.

Presentation of diplomas and awards—Mr. Freund.

The baccalaureate sermon was delivered at the Methodist church on Monday, by the Rev. M. L. Jeffers.

Music was by an instrumental quartet, Mrs. Joe Williams, Miss Myrtle Butts, Mrs. R. S. Sewell, R. S. Sewell, and a chorus composed of Miss Mary E. Tevebaugh, Miss Myrtle Butts, Miss Louise Grinstead, Mrs. R. S. Sewell, Mrs. G. L. Smith, Mrs. James Higgins, W. C. Westbrook, R. S. Sewell, Rev. M. L. Jeffers, R. E. Freund, Harry King and John Butts.

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade graduates were held at the high school building Friday. The graduates were: Glenn Anderson, Roy Scott, Charles Wicker, Jack Carlin, Avis Ann Henderson, Russell Shields, Ruby Rose Higgins and Ann Crank.

The program presented was as follows:

Processional, "Reverie"—Miss Myrtle Butts.

Invocation—Rev. Jeffers.

"Dream Song,"—Messner—Leta Rice, Bobby June Jeffers, Frances Brown, Marie McCarty.

"Rippling Waves,"—Milward—Bobby June Jeffers.

"Life's Treasure,"—Schnbert—Quartet.

"The Primrose,"—Greig—Leta

## FERTILIZING ON CORN FOUND TO BE PROFITABLE

### Kind For Use Depends Largely on Organic Matter In Soil

The use of commercial fertilizers on corn in normal years can be expected to give profitable returns, says J. U. Morris, county agent. This is especially true if the fertilizer is used in hill or row applications instead of applying it broadcast.

When corn is checked, best results are secured when the fertilizer is placed in bands 6 to 8 inches long at each side of the hill. For drilled corn, the fertilizer is placed in the soil in bands on each side of the seed along the entire length of the row. Bands one inch or less in width are most satisfactory where fertilizer with around 20 per cent plant food are applied. In both the checked and drilled corn, the fertilizer should be separated from the seed by one-half to three-fourths inch of fertilizer-free soil and placed so it will be about one inch below the seed to seed level or slightly above.

To place fertilizer in a lateral band on each side of the hill-dropped or drilled corn, the fertilizer depositor of the corn planter should carry a deflector, or similar device, to split the fertilizer stream into halves, and a hood, or similar device, to hold away the incoming soil until the fertilizer has reached the bottom of the furrow. A little soil should cover the seed while the kernels are still under the protection of the deflector; also the faces of the hood should be so sloped as to allow a part of the incoming soil to drop downward into place.

The kind of fertilizer to use on corn depends largely on the amount of organic matter in the soil, and the crops grown on it in recent years.

On the gray prairie soils of Pettis county, where the land has been manured in the last year or two or where a good clover crop has grown in the last three or four years, an application of 75 to 125 pounds of a 2-14-4 fertilizer per acre in hill or row is recommended.

Seventy-five to 125 pounds of 4-12-4 should be used where no clover or manure has been used. On the darker more fertile prairie soils an application of 75 to 125 pounds of 20 per cent superphosphate per acre in hills or rows is recommended.

When either manure has been applied or a good clover crop has been grown in the past few years, a 2-12-4 fertilizer at the same rate

should be applied where no clover or manure is used.  
On the shallow gravelly soils of Pettis county, a complete fertilizer such as a 4-14-4 at the rate of 75 to 125 pounds should be used.  
On bottom land that is extremely high in fertility, fertilizers are not likely to pay.

## OBSERVE BIRTHDAY OF H. L. DOHERTY

Employees of the City Light and Traction Company in Sedalia, Friday evening held a birthday party honoring Henry L. Doherty's 67th birthday. The party was a stag affair held at the company's shop, Ninth street and Ingram avenue. A fish fry was held after which several short talks were given by employees.



Henry L. Doherty

Mr. Doherty's birthday was Saturday.

Tens of thousands of men and women throughout the country celebrated the anniversary of Mr. Doherty, president and founder of Cities Service Company. Appropriate birthday observances in 9,000 communities in 38 states are marking this anniversary of the head of a nation-wide organization.

New York employees paid tribute to Mr. Doherty at a luncheon in the recreation auditorium at Sixty Wall Tower, Cities Service headquarters.

### Entertained At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Streit, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Potter, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Quint were entertained at dinner Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hussey at Chilton City.

### Public Loan Office Hours

An advertisement appearing in the recent Progress Edition by The Public Loan Corp., incorrectly stated the office hours of the firm, which is located at 195 East Fifth street. Until July 1, when new hours will be inaugurated the offices will be open from 8:30 a. m. until 5 p. m. during the week except Saturdays when they will close at 1 p. m.

## QUISENBERRY 4-H CLUB IN MEETINGS

The girls of Quisenberry community met recently at Liberty Park and organized a sewing club. The following officers were elected: President—June Thompson. Vice-President—Marjorie Donahoe. Secretary and Treasurer—Mary Louise Lane. Song Leader—Bessie Woodward. Game Leader—Deane Thompson. Reporter—Doris Lane. The other members are June Billings and Margaret Fiedler. The club leader is Mrs. P. S. Read. It also met later at the home of Mrs. P. S. Read. The name selected was "The Quisenberry Sewing Society."

Each person's posture was tested. The roll call was answered by ways of improving personal appearance. After all the business part of the meeting, the song leader led in singing, and the game leader led in playing a game. The evening was thoroughly enjoyed.

## COMMUNITY CLUB OF DRESDEN MET

The Dresden Community club held its regular meeting last week. After the business meeting music week was observed by a program given under the direction of Mrs. Howe. It was enjoyed by all present. The following selections were given:

1. "Bells of St. Mary"—Sextette.
2. Duet, "Glow Worm"—Mrs. Richards and Mrs. Gantt.
3. "Everytime I Feel the Spirit"—Sextette.
4. Musical reading, "The Lady Who Lives Next Door"—Mrs. Reaver.
5. "Home in Wyoming"—Sextette.
6. "Wagon Wheels"—Sextette.
7. Piano solo, "Moonlight Sonata"—Mrs. Richards.
8. Reading, "Temptation"—Mrs. Richards.
9. "To A Wild Rose"—Sextette.
10. Piano Duet, "Sleigh Ride"—Mrs. Richards and Mrs. Gantt.
11. "Certainly Lord"—Sextette.
12. "Lullaby"—Mrs. Edmondson.

## LAWRENCE CASTO FOUND NOT GUILTY

Lawrence Casto, arrested by the police in connection with destroying and defacing copper wire stolen from the Missouri Pacific railroad, was discharged Friday evening by Justice of the Peace Bell Hutchinson, after a justice of the peace court jury found him not guilty following a hearing.

Casto it was alleged assisted Harry Hohimer and Albert Hurt in smoking more than 400 pounds of copper wire and cutting it into small pieces so it could be sold for junk.

Hohimer and Hurt made confessions to stealing the wire but refused to implicate Casto in the "deal."



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## COMMITTEES FOR WOMEN'S CLUB

The Women's Club, B. P. O. Elks at its last meeting, appointed the following committees:

Constitution and by-laws—Mrs. M. E. Yount, Mrs. Henry Salveter and Mrs. Harry Milton.

Ways and Means—Mrs. J. C. Campbell, Mrs. Kelly Scruton and Mrs. Charles Green.

Publicity—Miss Dorothy Pearl.

Membership—Mrs. Dan Doty, Miss Jane Laupheimer, Mrs. Tom Dugan.

Program—Mrs. Percy Metcalf, Miss Jane Collins, Mrs. Philip McLaughlin.

Telephone—Mrs. Henry Cartwright.

Entertainment—Mrs. Harry Waldman, Mrs. Wm. Bertman, Miss Muriel French.

House—Mrs. Katherine Allison, Mrs. Allen O'Bannon and Miss Mary McHenry.

Civic—Mrs. E. F. Yancey, Mrs. F. B. Long, Mrs. Leon Archias, Jr.

It was also decided at this meeting to have a social meeting Wednesday, at 8 o'clock. A short program has been planned and again an invitation is extended wives, mothers, sweethearts, sisters and single daughters of all Elks in good standing.

## POLICE ESCORT HOBOS OUT OF CITY

Saturday morning 18 "knights of the road," picked up by the police for investigation, were released and sent on their way out of Sedalia. Nine of the group were taken several miles west of Sedalia, released and told to keep going.

The others were escorted out of the city and likewise given orders to never return.

All of the men were picked up east of the M-K-T railroad tracks, a number being apprehended in the "jungle" between Broadway and Fifth street near the railroad tracks, others were picked up on the railroad tracks near the Dickman planing mill, while several were found on East Broadway.

The group was kept in the city jail overnight so members would have no chance for petty robbery in Sedalia.

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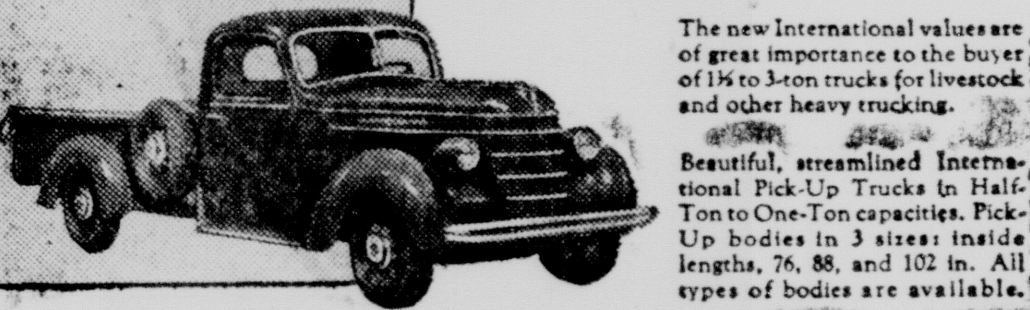
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TIMELY BRIEFS OF SHOPS AND RAILS

The regular business meeting of the Sedalia Shops Booster Club was held Friday, J. H. Thomas, president, presiding. This meeting was one of the best and most enthusiastic held for some time. Following regular business, F. G. Rose, chairman of the Missouri Pacific Boy Scout Troop, made a short talk on scout work. Harry Homans, machinist, gave a very interesting talk on the Pettengill bill, interspersed with clever remarks and jokes as "Grandpappy Schnazle."

Eugene Hansman, chairman of the committee on the drawing of the constitution, made a report of this activity to the club. President Thomas announced the new business solicitation committee had been selected as follows: George Robb, machine shop chairman; E. S. Lugen, coach shop; Frank Kerswell, electric shop; Walter Sims, pipe shop; Dave Bell, reclaim and store department; J. C. Shoe, blacksmith shop; E. S. Murray, paint shop; J. C. Fry, freight shed, and Virgil Norris, boiler shop. He also announced the entertainment committee as follows: W. E. Bruce, pipe shop; W. H. Swift, coach shop and Morda Higgins, store department.

P. R. Nichols, chief booster, gave an interesting talk on "Business Solicitation," giving a number of tips that may be used by the employees in their individual solicitations.

Preceding the meeting the Missouri Pacific band, under the direction of R. R. Ramlow, gave a short concert which was well received.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas of Kansas City are spending the week end in Sedalia. He is a carman helper at the shops in Kansas City.

William Martin, general locomotive inspector was in the city the latter part of the week on company business.

N. P. Shirley, laborer in the reclaim plant, is spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Kansas City.

Local No. 113 International Brotherhood of Boilermakers Iron Ship Builders met in the Labor Hall Tuesday evening. Elmer Schaefer was elected as delegate to the convention of the State Federation of Labor convention to be held in Jefferson City.

George Franklin, son of R. J. Franklin, boilermaker helper, is ill with an attack of pneumonia. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

William Reid, machinist apprentice, has been off duty a few days on account of injuries sustained in a motorcycle accident.

Quinton Harms, boiler maker apprentice, has been called back to work in the boiler shop.

C. F. Schreck, class B machinist, is spending the week end visiting near Tipton.

W. E. Blankenship, machinist, is spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Paragould, Ark.

J. G. Johnson, assistant boiler foreman is taking a two weeks vacation part of which is being spent visiting with relatives and friends in Kansas City.

William Curtis, an employee in the power house who has been a patient in the company hospital in St. Louis for the past several weeks is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. McMurdo left Saturday for a few days visit with relatives and friends in Decatur, Ill. He is a coach carpenter apprentice.

George Schwenk, sheet metal worker, in the coach shops was off duty Friday on business.

The regular monthly business meeting of Machinists Local No. 77 was held Thursday evening in the Labor Hall.

J. J. Wissman, pipefitter, returned to work Friday after being off duty a few days on account of illness.

Elmer Butler and M. McGill, production engineers for the Missouri Pacific have been in the city the past week on company business.

A new machine for the boring of engine journals has been installed in the machine shop. This work was

under the supervision of W. P. Staley, chief engineer.

Engine No. 2522 which has been undergoing repairs at the shops was taken out for a break in Friday.

V. C. Nichols, machinist in the reclaim plant, has entered the company hospital in St. Louis to receive medical attention.

Mrs. Preble Dowling, of Silver City, New Mexico, is spending a few weeks visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Damrill and other relatives and friends in Sedalia. Mr. Damrill is a pipefitter at the shops.

D. G. Russell, sheet metal worker in the coach shop, is spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Osawatomie, Kas.

J. E. Hudson, employee in the power house, arrived home from St. Louis Saturday, where he has been a patient in the company hospital for the past several weeks receiving medical attention.

H. W. Huffman, J. C. Gouchenor and J. W. Hammond, carman helpers in Kansas City, are spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Sedalia.

Tom Mason, switchman for the Missouri Pacific has returned to Jefferson City after a short visit in Sedalia.

A new lift truck has been placed in service in the machine shop. Oscar Purnell has been assigned as operator.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gorsett and children are spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Kansas City. Mr. Gorsett is a blacksmith at the shops.

Mrs. Raymond Cone and son, Harry Arthur are spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Kansas City. Mr. Cone is employed as a tinner at that place.

John Johnson, machinist, is spending the week end visiting in St. Louis.

H. E. French, engineer for the Missouri Pacific, left Saturday for Jefferson City after spending a few days in Sedalia.

J. F. Croy, assistant distribution clerk for the supply department in the St. Louis office is spending the week end visiting with his family and friends in Sedalia.

W. M. Lee, truck driver for the Missouri Pacific in St. Louis is spending the week end visiting with his family and friends in Sedalia.

S. A. Dickerson, carman, working in the truck gang in the coach shop has returned to work after being off duty a few days last week on account of the death of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Lucy Sitton.

N. Arnold, general freight car foreman, accompanied by W. S. Pirtle, truckman were in Ottoville Thursday on company business.

Red Moran, electric welding supervisor for the Missouri Pacific with headquarters in St. Louis, was in the city last week on company business.

Charles McNeil, sheet metal worker class B has been off duty for the past few days on account of illness.

J. C. Gramlich, coach carpenter was off duty Friday on business.

Mace Morgan, coach truckman was off duty Friday on account of illness.

Miss Frances Smith, stenographer in the main office, has entered the company hospital in St. Louis for medical attention. Her position is being filled by J. R. Murrell and E. L. Ellsworth is taking the position vacated by Mr. Murrell.

Roy Horn, carman in the freight shed has resumed his duties after being off duty a few days the past week on account of the death of his aunt, Mrs. Lucy Sitton.

H. E. Cortner, coach carpenter is spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Osawatomie, Kas.

Ed Wittman, coach carpenter is spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Omaha, Neb.

F. R. Hosack, assistant mechanical superintendent for the Missouri Pacific with headquarters in St. Louis was in the city the past week on company business.

T. V. Kubli, transfer table operator on the night shift, who has been off duty the past few weeks

Try This On Your Roller Skates!



A tap-dance on roller skates, with a gay song accompaniment! That is the novelty presented in this number by Ginger Rogers and Fred Astaire, here caught in action by the camera, in the screen musical hit, "Shall We Dance," which starts a four day run today at the Liberty, for which George and Ira Gershwin wrote the music and lyrics. Produced for RKO Radio by Pandro S. Berman, this is the sixth in Fred and Ginger's long line of smash screen successes in which their dancing and singing are outstanding features.

on account of serious illness, is reported to be somewhat improved.

Tom Nixon, tractor operator in the supply department was off duty Thursday and Friday on account of sickness.

John Pierce, employed by the Missouri Pacific in Omaha as carman helper, is spending the week-end visiting with his family and friends in Sedalia.

E. L. Stanek, coach carpenter, is spending the week-end visiting with his family and friends in Omaha.

Louis Zey, carman helper for the Missouri Pacific in Omaha, is visiting with his family and friends over the week end in Sedalia.

John N. Bach, coach carpenter is spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in St. Louis.

J. F. Caslin, spring shop foreman is spending the week end visiting with his family and friends in St. Louis.

F. E. Cheshire, superintendent of passenger car repairs for the Missouri Pacific with headquarters in St. Louis was in the city Thursday and Friday on company business.

E. L. Walje, who has been working in St. Louis for the Missouri Pacific the past few months has been re-called for duty in the machine shop as a machinist helper and reported Wednesday.

Adolph Hamby, employed by the Missouri Pacific in Kansas City as a carman helper, is spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Sedalia.

Arthur Johnson, messenger in the coach shop, has been spending the past week in Kansas City as a guest.

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treatment. Mrs. Barnes is the wife of a supply department employee.

Edgar Ringen, and S. F. Hart, laborers in the freight shed, and Howard Gwinn, carman, left Friday evening for Wichita, Kas., on a short business trip.

Marshall Adams, laborer in the reclaim plant, has been assigned to the position of lift truck operator.

William Ellis, laborer in the reclaim plant, is spending a few days visiting with relatives and friends in Louisville, Ky.

Bob Dale, laborer in the reclaim plant, has been called back to work and reported for duty last week.

Mrs. Judson Banks, wife of a machinist in the tool room, has returned from a short business trip to Kansas City.

Henry Beems, tinner, working in Kansas City, is spending the week end visiting in Sedalia.

L. H. Bohling, carman, left Friday evening for Kansas City on business.

Several cars of new automobiles arrived the past week, the shipments being made over the Missouri Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. George Saunders are spending the week end visiting with relatives and friends in Kansas City. Mr. Saunders is a machinist class B at the shops.

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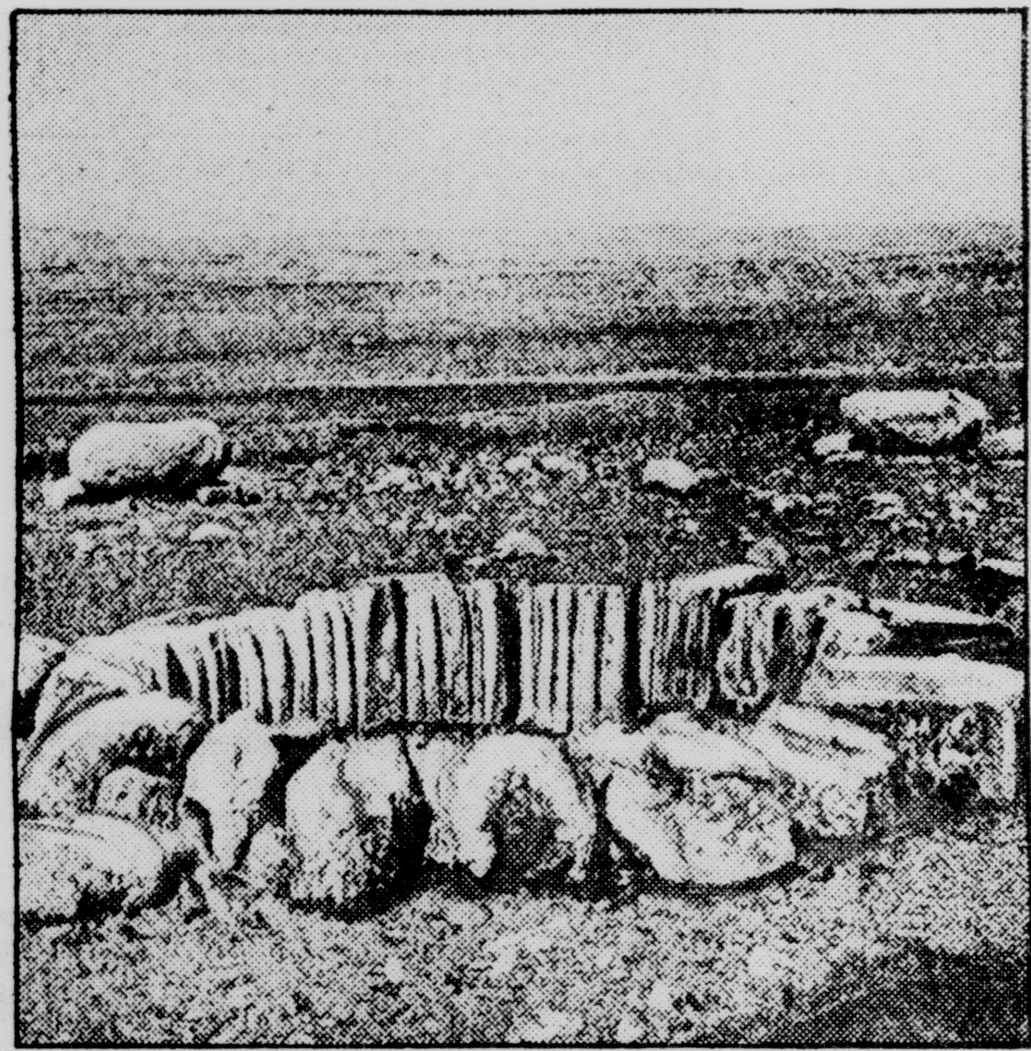
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## The Forebearance of Isaac

"Brass Tacks" on the Sunday School Lesson

## The Golden Text



One of the wells of Isaac at Beer-Sheba.

Matthew 5:9—"Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the sons of God."

By DR. ALVIN E. BELL.  
(The International Uniform Lesson on the above topic for May 16 is Genesis 21:1-25:18; 26:1-33, especially 26:12-25, the Golden Text being Matthew 5:9, "Blessed are the peacemakers: for they shall be called the sons of God.")

Isaac, though not as strong a character as Abraham his father, nor as aggressive as Jacob his son, was, nevertheless, a great man of faith, of quiet, contemplative, submissive faith. His birth was the reward of the faith of his father Abraham. On Mt. Moriah he shared his father's faith in his willingly yielding himself to the altar and the knife, for he was no more youth, but, as Josephus tells us, a man of 27 years. He offered himself to be sacrificed, believing that God would restore his life by a resurrection from the dead.

### Isaac and Rebecca

The choice of Rebecca as Isaac's wife was a matter of faith. Abraham wanted no "mixed marriage" for his son with a woman of Canaan. Nor did he want to risk Isaac's return to his own people. Not only did Abraham's servant pray for divine guidance when sent to select a bride for his Master's son, but Isaac must have shared in these prayers for guidance, for at the servant's return with his bride Isaac is found in prayer: "And Isaac went out to meditate (literally "to bow down") in the field at the eventide; and he lifted up his eyes, and saw, and, behold, there were camels coming; and Rebecca lifted up her eyes, and when she saw Isaac, she lighted off the camel . . . and she took her veil and covered herself." The scene is typically oriental. But the place it gives to prayer and faith in seeking a suitable life companion may very properly be emulated among us today. The characteristics of faith, kindness, hospitality, unselfishness and serving love were set up as a standard for the wife of Isaac. And Rebecca, not knowing that she was being tested by this standard, met all the requirements. Her willingness to go forth into a strange land at the call of God showed that she was endowed with the same heroic faith that made Abraham the friend of God.

Isaac the Peacemaker  
Isaac's was a quiet pastoral wife, building altars, pitching tents and digging wells. To him God reaffirmed the covenant made with his

father: "I will multiply thy seed as the stars of heaven, and will give unto thy seed all these lands; and in they seed shall all the nations of the earth be blessed." God had a great program to fulfill through him, a program leading up to the altar of Calvary's Cross to which God's only begotten Son should be bound in sacrifice as Isaac had been bound to the altar on Mt. Moriah, except that for Isaac there was a lamb provided as a substitute, while for Christ there could be no substitute, he himself being "the lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world."

Isaac's Wells  
"And Isaac digged again the wells of water, which they had digged in the days of Abraham his father; for the Philistines had stopped them after the death of Abraham." So have we allowed the Philistines of sin and worldliness to clog up the wells our fathers digged.

ONE MINUTE PULPIT  
Because sentence against an evil work is not executed speedily, therefore the heart of the sons of men is fully set in them to do evil.—Ecclesiastes 8: 11.

Meeting Held By Colt Club  
The Blue Ribbon Colt Club met May 10th at Frank Blaylock's home. The meeting was presided over by the president. A few demonstrations of tying halters were given, also good rations for colts were discussed. The meeting then adjourned. The next meeting will be held at the Donald Bradbury home on Monday, May 24.

Card of Thanks  
We wish to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during the illness and at the death of our father, W. E. Poindexter, to Rev. J. C. English, to those who sang at the funeral and for the many beautiful flowers.  
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## Miss Mary Hurlbut Missionary In Africa Writes of Rains There

Miss Mary W. Hurlbut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hurlbut, who is in missionary work in Africa, writes to her Sedalia relatives an interesting letter, as follows:

"April 4, 1937.

"Dear Family:  
Now that school is over, we are as busy as ever, trying to catch up on things which had to be neglected during school.

Monday, we killed a pig and made lard. We are putting down some of the pieces of bacon. If you want bacon out here, it is up to you to make your own. This was a large animal according to the standards out here, and we had two five-gallon tins of lard as well as about a gallon of leaf lard and some bacon.

We are having a great deal of rain just now. Down nearer the coast, the railroad bridge was washed out, and train service was disrupted. The up-train goes down to the break and you go across to the train from the coast. As a result the bi-weekly train is apt to be about 12 hours late. The break occurred the day before our school commencement and the next day there should have been trains both up and down country. The train went down country, but not up and some

of the girls had to stay over. Those who went on foot had a wet journey home as it rained every day. We finally had to hire a truck and send the girls home because it would be difficult to secure carriers to help so many girls for a three or four day trip, as they would have to carry food for the journey as well as their little trunks and bundles. Cornmeal for three or four days for a hundred people isn't pounded in a day, especially when it is raining so much. Calueyo just came in from her village, and I must go down to greet her at once. It isn't polite to wait a long time to greet a visitor from away. If you wait long, it is better not to go at all.

With kindest regards to inquiring friends and love to you all, Mary."

## NEW STORE HOURS AT PENNEY STORE

Open at 8:30 p. m. and Close at 5:30 p. m. — Close at 9 p. m. Saturdays

Announcement of new store hours is made in this issue of the newspaper by the J. C. Penney Co., Third and Ohio streets, Paul Hedderich, manager, states that effective Monday morning, May 17th, the store will open at 8:30 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m. on week days, but will remain open until 9 o'clock Saturday nights until further notice. The new hours create a much shorter work day for the store's employees but will have no effect on salaries. They will also enable the store to have a larger sales staff on duty at all hours for greater efficiency in the handling of merchandise which in addition means an investment of services to customers.

The cooperation of the store's customers is urged in observing these new hours as they will mean many hours of recreation for the Penney employees. It is also the opinion of the store's management that customers alike will find the new hour arrangements an added convenience in planning the day's shopping program.

## The Grab Bag

One-Minute Test  
1. Who is president of Mexico?  
2. Where did the chief religions of the modern world originate?  
3. How many states seceded from the Union during the Civil war?

Hints on Etiquette  
Sunday night suppers should be informal, with the hostess preparing a "tasty snack" rather than a regular dinner.

Words of Wisdom  
Life is a flower of which love is the honey.—Hugo.

Saturday's Horoscope  
Persons born Saturday are usually shrewd and calculating. They are seldom duped by clever schemers.

Horoscope for Sunday  
If your birthday is Sunday you may be inclined toward selfishness. Your greatest pride is in self-achievement.

One-Minute Test Answers  
1. Lazaro Cardenas.  
2. In Asia.  
3. Eleven—Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee.

Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, Louisiana, Texas and Arkansas.

## Library News

(By The Librarian)

Entertaining fiction at the Sedalia Public Library:

Busman's Honeymoon—by Dorothy Sayers. Lord Peter Wimsey, having married his Harriet, starts with her on his honeymoon which is to be spent in a country home beloved of Harriet's youth. They find it locked and deserted. Of course, there is a murdered man in the cellar. The solution of the murder will appeal to the sophisticated mystery lover.

Flame in The Wind—Margaret Pedler. Cara Glyn, penniless actress and musician, impersonates a guest at a charity ball in London. She is discovered and shown up by a conservative Scotch nobleman with a particular dislike for actresses. He falls in love with her, very much against his inclinations, and there is a long struggle before his love conquers his prejudice and all obstacles to their marriage are surmounted.

The Late George Apley—John Philip Marquand. The supposed author of this "novel in the form of a memoir" is one Horatio Willing, who has been requested by the son of George Apley to write his father's biography. George Apley was a member of an old Boston family, resident upon Beacon Hill for many years. From family notes and letters, supplemented by his own

memoirs, Horatio Willing builds up the picture of an age, a class, a locality in his story of the life of George Apley.

Though Time Be Fleet—Louise Andrus. Giving up her stage career to care for her invalid mother, the heroine becomes a successful newspaper writer; meanwhile waiting for her lover to find success. Eventually they marry, but in the chaos of 1929, his money and position disappeared and the wife returns to her work to support husband and child.

The Three-Headed Angel—Roark Bradford. A novel of the men and women who settled and developed Phinizy County on the Mississippi River in Tennessee; such men as old Bascom Younger who made political speeches on whiskey barrels when he was a hundred years old, and young Richard Whitting, the aristocrat. The humor and sentiment of the tale are charming.

We Are Not Alone—James Hilton. A busy, preoccupied doctor, affectionately known as the "little doctor" in the English cathedral town where he practiced, is the central character of the novelette. Just by chance he was sent for to attend a young German dancer at a fifth-rate theatre, and from that meeting to their tragic deaths the two were strangely united. A book which will catch and hold affection.

The Years—Virginia Woolf. In a prose style, subtle in its simplicity, Mrs. Woolf recreates the life of the Pargiter family, English gentle folk, during the past fifty years. The even tenor is broken by marriages, births, and deaths—rebellious youth

mellows into serene old age which, in turn relinquishes its place to the new generation of rebels to whom the past seems interesting, safe, and beautiful in its unreality.

Read The Democrat Want Ads.

## "Won't You Help Us Build"

Quinn Chapel A. M. E. church begins a drive Monday, May 17th by the Senior Department of the Sunday School to build a new church.

Your contributions will be appreciated.  
REV. M. H. VANHOOSE, Minister.

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## Society and Clubs

### Schlen-Tankalek Wedding

Miss Susan Naomi Tanksley, daughter of Mrs. Robert Henry Tanksley and Mr. William Andrew Schlen, son of Mrs. Otto John Schlen, were married at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at the home of the bride's mother, 607B West Sixth street.

Palms and ferns with cut flowers, calla lilies, talisman roses and blue delphinium banked the improvised altar in the living room before which the couple stood as the marriage ceremony was performed. The Rev. A. W. Kokendoff, pastor of the First Christian church, and a personal friend of the bride's father, the late Rev. Robert Henry Tanksley, officiated, in the presence of only immediate members of the two families.

The bride wore a navy blue costume suit with navy accessories, dark blue picture hat, and her corsage bouquet was of lilies of the valley.

Following the ceremony there was an informal reception for the wedding guests. White roses and sweet peas were used in the dining room, a bouquet in a crystal bowl centering the dining table.

Mr. and Mrs. Schlen are spending their honeymoon in St. Louis, and upon their return will be at home at 231 South Montleau avenue.

### Slumber Party

Miss Lorraine Morgan entertained the fourteen girls of the T. O. S. club at a slumber party, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Quincy A. Morgan, on route 6, southwest of Sedalia, Friday night.

The girls had dinner at the Morgan home Friday night, breakfast Saturday morning, and concluded the party with a wiener roast at noon.

The guests were Patricia Poundstone, Ruth Franklin, Ruth Brunkhorst, Henrietta Lamm, Harriet Courtney, Willouise Cough, Mary Lu Reid, Maxine Isbell, Geraldine Shaffer, Genevieve Stanley, Maurine Ridgway, Joan Waddell, Jean Rector.

### Dance At Elks Home

Miss Mary Margaret Ilmberger and Miss Dorothy Berger entertained thirty-five couples at a dance at the Elks Home last night. Chaparroning the young folks were the hostesses' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Ilmberger and Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Berger.

Punch was served during the evening.

### Party For Visitor

Mrs. George R. Purnell, 703 West Fourth street, entertained at bridge Saturday afternoon for her sister, Mrs. Charles Bunker, of Topeka, Kas., her guest.

Trophies were awarded to Mrs. Jack Jolly, high, Mrs. Henry C. Salveter, low, and Mrs. Ralph Warren, low.

### Party For Children

Mrs. Ora Lee Edwards entertained a group of children Saturday afternoon in honor of her niece, Beatrice Kerr, who was eight years old. Assisting Mrs. Edwards in entertaining were her mother, Mrs. J. A. Kerr, her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. O. Kerr and Mrs. Chester Kerr. Those present were: Lucille Lewis, James Van Horn, Dorothy and Leona Kriesel, Beverly Bates, James Kriesel, Willis Mae Hubbard, Irene Hopkins, Doris Michael, Harold Lee Roe, Russell Kerr, Anna Lee Simmons, Dorothy Jean White, Warren Headlee, Ina Faye Burton, Mary Lou Witte, Patsy Ruth McGinnis.

### Garden Club Board Meeting

The third quarterly meeting of the Garden Club was held Tuesday at the home of Mrs. A. A. Ferguson. The meeting was called to order by acting president, Mrs. Landon Welch. All members were present. The board appointed Mrs. Landon Welch to fill the office of president of the Garden Club the remaining part of this year's term of office and Mrs. R. R. Highleyman as vice-president.

The waiting list was turned in from each circle and it was decided there would be another circle formed. This will make six circles in the Garden Club. There is now a total membership of 163. The balance of the afternoon was spent taking care of the routine business of the board. The next board meeting will be held with Mrs. J. C. Saunders, the second Tuesday in August.

### Birthday Party

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Patterson, 1420 East Broadway, entertained a number of little friends in honor of the twelfth birthday of their daughter, Helen. Assisting in entertaining were Mrs. Patterson's aunt, Mrs. C. A. Masters, and the Rev. Ralph A. Fox, pastor of the East Broadway Christian church.

Refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake were served the guests, who were: Bryan Hollandsworth, Billy Ellis, Rene Kugli, Catherine Kubli, J. C. Kubli, Luvva Raymer, Reroy Raymond, Nadine Raymer, Betty Lou McCurdy, Betty Jane Long, Betty Aanton, Marvalie Barnum, Norma Bettis, Buddy Masters, Haslin Ulmer, Olin Harms, Ralph Williams, Claudis Winebrenner, Bertie Gene Walsh, Lenora Bryant, Betty Sirks, Ruth Blumh, Carl Blythe, Harvey May.

Helen received many nice gifts.

### Circle Meets Tuesday

The Bellmer circle of the First M. E. church will meet at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Quincy R. Wright, 323 West Fourth

street, as hostess. All members are expected.

### P. E. O. Meeting

The P. E. O. society will meet with a 1 o'clock luncheon Wednesday at the home of Mrs. C. A. Greene, in Hughesville. Mrs. Milton Chamberlin, her daughter, will be assisting hostess. Mrs. F. R. Morley is in charge of the program.

### St. Martha's Guild

St. Martha's Guild, of Calvary Episcopal church, will meet at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alice M. Scruton, 724 West Third street.

A full attendance is desired.

### Class Meets Tuesday

The Westminster class of the Broadway Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday night, May 18, at 7:30 at the home of Miss Rebekah Shaeffer, 618 West Seventh street, with Miss Jessie Browneller assisting.

### St. Mary's Guild

St. Mary's Guild of Calvary Episcopal church will meet Wednesday at noon at the home of Mrs. Harry Bouldin, Route 2, Hughesville.

### Mission Circle to Meet

The Business Women's Missionary Circle of the First Baptist church will meet at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday evening with Miss Flora Norlin, of 402 West Sixteenth street, with Mrs. P. V. Scotten, Miss Grace Jewel Potter and Mrs. Dora Herndon assisting hostesses. The subject will be "Slaves" with Mrs. George Suter program chairman.

### Meeting Held By Circle

The John Lowe Circle of the First Baptist church met with Mrs. D. H. Willett, 511 West Broadway, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

April minutes were read by Mrs. Jesse Brown, the well conducted business by the chairman, Mrs. Crutcher, and special offerings given with scriptural good cheer. The plans for personal service by Mrs. Willett, the chapter in Mission Study by Mrs. Hayes, the deep thrill of tales of Pioneer Missionaries told by Mrs. S. J. Allen and Mrs. O. H. DeWolf and the acceptance of three new members Mrs. R. S. Stillies, Spring Fork; Mrs. Harry McFarland, 320 West Fourth street, and Miss Denease Mitchell, 216 East Broadway, followed by happy conversation to the accompaniment of strawberry shortcake.

There were nineteen present. The June meeting will be with Mrs. George Chambers, 912 South Harrison as hostess.

Dorothy Dean Cottons, style leader for 3 yrs. Jiedel's Vogue Shop. —Adv.

### MRS. LEACH DIRECTS BIG OPERA-DRAMA

Mrs. Frank S. Leach of Sedalia, is in Lakeland, Fla., which is one of that state's most beautiful cities, and on May 27 and 28, her large opera-drama "World Crusaders" will be presented at the huge city auditorium. Over 1,000 persons will be in her cast. The music will be played by the Symphony orchestra, a brass band and sung by a large chorus and individual singers. The following seven cities in central Florida will participate, Winter Haven, Lake Wales, Frostproof, Bartow, Fort Meade, Haines City and Plant City. This is the fourth time that Mrs. Leach has been called to present her own extravaganza and operas in Florida.

All of the churches in Lakeland are sponsoring "World Crusaders" and large committees have been appointed in each church to cooperate with the Sedalia author and director. All civic, literary, musical and military organizations together with the schools and Southern College are assisting in this great undertaking. Mrs. Leach says that the ministers and church people of the city have been so nice to her, that she hardly knows to which denomination she really belongs.

While in Lakeland this Sedalia lady has been royally entertained. She was guest of honor and speaker at the Tuesday Music Club luncheon, and she was also guest speaker at the annual luncheon of Sorosis, the courtesies of the club were extended to her during her stay in Lakeland.

En route through Mrs. Leach was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Phillips at their beautiful home overlooking one of the lovely lakes in the city of Orlando.

Mrs. Phillips is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Highleyman of this city, and they have carved for themselves an important place in the business and social life of Orlando.

Mrs. Phillips honored Mrs. Leach with a very beautiful luncheon at which 30 guests sat down to a perfectly appointed and beautifully decorated table. Gladiolas and calla lilies formed the handsome decorations and clever imported place cards designated the table places.

Mrs. Phillips' blonde beauty was enhanced on this occasion, as she wore a gown of navy blue chiffon with the palest of green accessories, and Mrs. Leach wore an embroidered shell pink net over pink satin that was an exact copy of the gown worn by Mrs. Alfred Landon, for the festivities at the time of his acceptance speech when he was nominated for president.

Mrs. Leach will return home here

### MRS. WILLIAM ANDREW SCHIEN



Formerly Miss Naomi Tanksley, whose marriage to Mr. Schien took place Saturday morning.

shortly after the completion of her large work in Lakeland.

### SPECIAL HONORS TO MRS. STUCKEMAN

Mrs. A. D. Stuckeman of Sioux Falls, S. D., a former Sedalian, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Brandt, was given special recognition on Mother's Day by a writer for the Daily Argus-Leader of Sioux Falls, which paper also carried a large picture of Mrs. Stuckeman.

Referring to Mrs. Stuckeman the writer states: "Perhaps no woman in South Dakota has ever heard the sweet name of 'Mother' ring in her ears, more often than has Mrs. A. D. Stuckeman, assistant superintendent at the Children's Home."

"And to look at her picture, which is a splendid likeness, isn't it easy to understand how everyone of the 5,000 who have passed through the home in the past 30 years before going into homes of foster parents, called her 'Mother'? Nearly all of these children have been placed in South Dakota homes—almost one-half of them know who their mother was for a period of their lives. Some of them in far-away places remember her through the mails frequently; others, who have become successful, married and have families, send their way here to visit with her and talk over the happy days they spent at the Home with her."

"Many of these children are enjoying life in the best homes of the state; simple people, some of them, thrifty and economical; others have been adopted into wealthy and prominent homes; sisters have met at college that were lost since childhood. Some have met at the time of their marriages, at their own request and 'Mother' Stuckeman has always carefully paved the way of meeting."

"Mrs. Stuckeman advises parents to tell children of their adoption at an early age."

"Mrs. Stuckeman has two sons of her own, Bob of Sioux Falls and Karl D. of Los Angeles, Calif. She is a member of the Methodist church. Her busy fingers are never idle, as when duties at the home are over for the day, she passes her evening in doing needlework which is envied by the finest artists in the city."

MISS EVA JANE LEWIS MISSOURI SOCIETY HOSTESS

Miss Eva Jane Lewis, Sedalian, who is employed in Washington, D. C., writes renewing her subscription to the Democrat and states that Washington is very beautiful at this time of the year, and that the cherry blossoms were more beautiful than ever, although some were somewhat anxious thinking perhaps the floods in the basin had damaged them some.

Miss Lewis states that she frequently sees Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Lindemood, the latter formerly Miss Maxine Ewen, also former Sedalians.

Miss Lewis has been complimented by being chosen as one of the hostesses for the Missouri Society in Washington this season.

### BOOK REVIEW FOR FRIENDS OF GUILD

The lovely spacious home of Mrs. D. T. Abell, 407 West Broadway, will be open Thursday evening to all friends of St. Martha's Guild members, and others who may be interested, in a review of James Hilton's book, "We Are Not Alone," which will be given by Mrs. Harry Walch.

This selection is one of the current best sellers, and those who are acquainted with Mr. Walch's

very capable club work the past year know the evening will be a worthwhile one. The Guild plans on an entirely informal affair, for both men and women. The admission charge will be 25 cents.

### MRS. LEMPKE IS TENDERED SHOWER

A miscellaneous shower was given Mrs. Elroy Lempke at the home of Miss Alberta Starke at Smithton Friday night. The color scheme of red and yellow was carried out. The evening was spent playing bridge, Mrs. John Daniels winning the prize.

Refreshments were served to the following: Misses Mary Bell Farner, Pearl Ruth Bremer, Ruth Pace and Alberta Starke; Mesdames Elroy Lempke, O. L. Winstead, John Daniels, Audrey Neumeyer, Howard Hall, E. L. Moberg, B. M. Sharper, Will Yeager, George Yeager and Lottie Starke.

Mrs. Lempke received many useful and beautiful gifts.

### GRANVILLE THOMAS WEDS MISS THOMAS

Granville W. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron W. Thomas, 600 East Tenth street, and Miss Ollie May Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Thomas of Hughesville, were married Saturday night by the Rev. A. W. Kokendoff, pastor of the First Christian church at his home on South Ohio avenue.

Although having the same name the bride and groom were no relation. The bride graduated from the Hughesville high school, class of 1935, and the groom from the Ottumwa high school in 1926. The groom is employed as a tank wagon salesman for the Phillips Petroleum Company.

The couple will reside temporarily at 600 East Tenth street.

### LAST PLAY FOR SCHOOL YEAR GIVEN

Friday night's performance of the "Thirteenth Chair", a three-act murder mystery, closed the 1936-37 schedule of plays given by the senior dramatic students of Smithton high school. This play, which was given last night and Thursday, is the last presentation given by students before graduation.

The play last night was once presented by a group of dramatic students of Smith-Cotton, several years ago. In recent years light, humorous, three-act comedy plays have been presented. The play was given before a large crowd in the high school auditorium last night at eight o'clock. The cast for the play was:

Miss Eunice Cousley, dramatics director, was presented a large bouquet of flowers by Miss Marjorie Claycomb, president of the 1936-37 Senior Student Council.

The orchestra, directed by J. T. Alexander played the following numbers before the play and at the close:

Entrance and March of Peers by Sullivan and "Dance of the Moorish Slaves" by Verde.

A novelty tap dance was offered by Hazel Colvin, a student in the sophomore class at the high school. Miss Mary Virginia Lueking accompanied Hazel on the piano to "Never in a Million Years" and "Love Bug."

The encore number was "Love and Learn" and "Moonlight and Shadows."

Miss Mildred Moser of the graduating class and also a member of the orchestra played a saxophone solo "Love Bug" and "Sand." Her encore selection was "This Year's Kisses."

These numbers were given between acts.

All the students appearing in the play during the last night's performance will graduate this year. The play was exceedingly well pre-

### HIGH SCHOOL QUEENS



Christine Leftwich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Leftwich of Hughesville, granddaughter of Judge and Mrs. A. C. Leftwich Sedalia, junior queen at the candle service.

Miss Dorothea Wienbrenner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Winebrenner, 1323 East Seventh street, senior queen for the candle service at Smith-Cotton high school, Monday, May 24.

### CHILDREN IN PLAY AT MASONIC TEMPLE



Children who participated in a play at the Masonic Temple Friday night, honoring the district deputy grand matron of the 6th district, Order Eastern Star, Mrs. Ruth Williams, of Warrensburg. They are: Top row, left to right, Mary Jo Vilmer, Maureen Parsons, Dorothy Sheets, Rose Marie Reed, Bottom row, Thelma Bryant, Linda Jones, Rosalie Kirkpatrick, Jane Clark, Marilyn Bybee and Hazel Kirkpatrick.

sented, as the dialogue and the plot, itself, is considered difficult.

### A MEMORIAL DAY PROGRAM PLANNED

A committee formed of members of the war veterans organizations of Sedalia met in the old post office building Friday night to form plans for the Memorial Day program. J. H. Brooks presided.

The American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Spanish American War Veterans and Disabled American Veterans were represented. The women's auxiliary of the Legion and V. F. W. also were represented.

The parade, which the veterans promise will be the best Sedalia has seen, will begin at 1:30 o'clock Memorial Day.

Committees to attend to the decorations and details of the parade were appointed.

The transportation committee requests that relatives of the G. A. R. and any disabled veterans who wish to attend the services to call a member of the committee. They are Mrs. T. L. Spurlock, Mrs. Don Mahoney, and Mrs. E. C. McGurran.

Other committees are: speakers, M. D. Weathers, J. F. Krolock, Thomas Gray, flags and decorations, O. A. Holt, Mrs. Herman Meyers, E. I. Mason; firing squad, H. O. Berry; bands, Mrs. L. R. Bailey, J. F. Krolock, E. W. Richardson, Glen Hinkle, J. S. Smetana, M. D. Weathers.

### LUMBER DEALERS FROM CENTRAL MISSOURI MEET

Members of the Central Lumber Dealers Association met Friday night at the Bothwell hotel to discuss lumber conditions. The meeting was one of a series which will be held in this district. Mr. Paul Russell of Lexington, Mo., president of the association, presided.

A film showing the construction of small homes was shown through the courtesy of the Red Cedar Shingle Bureau of Seattle Washington. The bureau is supported by shingle manufacturers for the promotion of shingle sales.

### LODGES

Sedalia Lodge No. 236 A. F. and A. M. will meet in special communication Monday, May 17th at 6:45 p. m. for work in the Master Mason degree. All Master Masons invited. Refreshments.

H. A. SEIFERT, Secy. W. J. KENNEDY, W. M.

Sedalia Assembly No. 23, S. O. O. B. will meet in regular session Tuesday, May 18th, at 2:30 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. Mrs. Joe C. Hancock, W. P. Mrs. Arthur Griffey, Rec.

### HOMEMAKERS OF BOWLING GREEN MET

The May meeting of the Bowling Green Homemakers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Goodwin west of Beaman was large in both attendance and interest. Miss Frances Goodwin and Mrs. Clara Sellers of Sedalia were hostesses.

Mrs. Claire Montgomery gave instruction in completing lists of wild flowers and in pressing them for preservation.

Roll call for May was answered by telling experiences with materials, dress or hose. Mrs. H. Yeager talked on buying and caring for hosiery. Mrs. W. J. Harrington gave instructions for removing varnish and for making a crack filler.

At noon the hostess served a bounteous dinner. The chairman of the book and reading committee announced a magazine exchange to be held in June when the club will meet with Mrs. M. S. McKenzie and daughter. Roll call for June will be answered by telling how to make a favorite sandwich.

Visitors were Lorine Spatts, Mrs. Daisy Brown, Miss Gladys Ferguson, Miss Lucille Hurt and Miss Mary Yeager from Washington, D. C. Miss Yeager was formerly an active member but is now employed in the internal revenue department at Washington.

Mrs. Lila Bellah is the new member for this month.

### SEDALIANS ATTEND T. P. A. CONVENTION

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bahrenburg, Mr. and Mrs. Leo E. Eickhoff, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Seifert attended the annual state convention of the Travelers Protective Association, held at Springfield, Mo., May 14 and 15.

Mr. Bahrenburg was selected a member of the state board of directors. He was also elected a delegate to attend the national convention to be held at Savannah, Ga., in June.

Delegates and guests were delightfully entertained by Post C of Springfield.

### Parents of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brown, 1403 East Fifth street, are parents of a daughter, born at their home, Saturday, whom they have named Mary Frances.

Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss Frances Nunn.

### Return From St. Louis

Ray Hatfield and Mrs. Hatfield returned Friday evening from a three-day business trip to St. Louis. Mr. Hatfield went to St. Louis on business for the Thompson Chevrolet Motor Co.

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Day program was held. A basket of flowers was presented to the oldest and youngest mothers, and each mother was given a bouquet. Mrs. Anna Darr, of the State of California, a sister of Mrs. W. E. Weedon of South Ohio avenue, was present, as was District Deputy Juanita Bowen.

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The Jolly Juvenile minstrels, thirty-five children, participating, was presented in the auditorium of Whittier school Thursday and Friday night. Exceptionally large crowds witnessed both performances, all seats and available standing room being taken. The minstrel, including songs, plays and dances, was directed by Miss Bernice Wood, music director of the school. The characters in the minstrels and the names of the children taking part, are as follows:

Boy's Minstrel—First part: Interlocutor—Archie Allen. Blackum—Eldo Palmer. Saved Off, song "Use a Little

Pickaninny"—Billy Bergmann. Jackson Jenkins, song "I Had a Cat"—Cecil Davis. Dusty, verses—Billy Thomas. Sauer Kraut—Wayne Leiter. Snowball, dance—Arthur Beeler. Watermelon, dance—Harrell DeWitt. Babe, reading—Jacques Cowherd. Peach Blossom—John Durham. Song and dance, "Dixie"—Mildred Richardson and Melinda Nicholson. Song, "Reuben and Rachal"—Gladys Richardson and June Decker. Song, "Little Old Lady"—Doris Mae Stott, Mary Funk, Nadine Morton and Ruth Bergmann. Kidville Show Off—Second part: Millie—Melinda Nicholson. Jimson—Jimmy Leslie. Sassafras—Dick Ross. Snowflake—Doris Mat Stott. Sambo—Elmer Schultz. Tiny Pearl—Mary Funk. Acrobatic dance—Tiny Pearl (Mary Funk). Dance—Sassafras (Dick Ross). Duet, "The Quarrel"—Jimmy Rosenquist and Ilene Wagoner. Reading—Ruth Madlyn Marshall. Circus Day—Third part: Cindy—Thelma Wareham. Bake—Phillip Fisher. Mandy—Elsie Jacks. Marcus—James Thixton. Tom—Charles Davidson. Lily Belle—June Decker. Baby—Gladys Richardson. Sheba—Rosemary Winfrey. Song and dance, "Oh Won't You Sit Down"—Mildred Richardson and Juanita Wagner. Song, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot"—Mary Funk, solo part: Nadine Morton, solo part: June Decker, solo part: Ruth Bergmann, solo part.

VISITATION DAY  
AT WASHINGTON  
SCHOOL FRIDAY

Pleasing Program Presented  
In Climax of Year's  
Activities

Friends and patrons of Washington school enthusiastically responded to the annual visitation day which climaxed the year's activities of the Washington Parent Teacher Association. From 2 to 5 o'clock, on Friday, May 14th, the teachers of Washington school very graciously welcomed visitors to their beautifully decorated rooms, displayed the outstanding work of their pupils and presented favors to each guest. As each guest completed this visitation she was invited to the silver tea held in the school auditorium where the attractive tea table with its beautiful floral centerpiece at which Mrs. C. F. Appel, president, and Mrs. Roy Crouch, first vice-president, presided; was the central figure of a beautiful scene. Small tables with small bouquets circled the large table and ferns and large baskets of cut flowers provided a delightful background. During the afternoon the following musical program, under the di-

rection of Miss Marian Smith, was offered: Song, "The Mountain Stream"—by the school chorus. Three numbers, "Twilight Shadows," "Wild Flowers," and "Beacon Lights"—by the school orchestra. Piano solo, "Scarf Dance"—by Corrine Baum. Violin solo, "Neopolitan Nights"—by Maxine Leslie. Piano solo, "Trees"—by Jerry Waite. Trumpet solo, "Song of the Sun"—by Allen Appel. Two vocal solos, "I Love a Little Cottage," and "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms"—by Mrs. Everett Momberg. The latter number was dedicated to Mrs. Appel. Quartet, "Andante Cantabile"—by the high school string quartet, Hazel Colvin, Margaret Clagett, Rebecca Wasserman and Mariel Bronson. Violin solo, "Polish Dance"—by Rose Marie Reed. Two cello solos, "Danny Boy," and "Elgie"—by Mary Johnson. Violin duet, "Blue Danube"—by Rose Marie Reed and Bobby Butcher. Viola solo, "The Swan"—by Rebecca Wasserman. Violin solo, "Concerto"—by Dale Waite. The committee in charge of the tea was Mrs. Fred Anton, Jr., and Mrs. A. Schib, assisted by the following hostesses: Mesdames Yeager, Ulmer, Butcher, Whitley, Bryant, Vilmer, Croy and Reed. The candy sale held throughout the day was under the direction of Mrs. Donald Ganter who was as-

sisted by Mrs. Calvin Owens and Mrs. Howard May.

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By applying the lime several months ahead of the clover seedlings more of it is in available condition for the young clover seedlings when they begin growth. An abundance of available lime in the soil increases the number of nitrogen gathering nodules which cause the formation of more nitrates in the soil, thus promoting more rapid growth in the early life of the plant. This in turn better enables the plant to withstand unfavorable weather conditions which may occur later in the season.

Lime may be applied to this year's corn or soybean land that is to be seeded to clover in 1938. It can be applied any time after the ground is plowed; either before or soon after these crops are planted. As the corn or soybeans are cultivated, the lime is thoroughly mixed with the surface soil. By applying lime on these crops this spring it will have nearly a year to dissolve and become available for the young clover seedlings that will be seeded next spring.

The present supply of available limestone at commercial quarries in Pettis county is sufficient to take care of the present orders.

Roller skating afternoon and nights, 15c. Liberty Park.—Adv.

## REWARD

The Commissioners of the Sedalia Twelve Mile Special Road District of Pettis County, Missouri will pay a reward of \$10.00 for the arrest and conviction of anyone dumping trash on the right-of-way of any road within the Sedalia Special Twelve Mile Road District.

By order of the Board, this 12th day of May, 1937.

L. H. HAGGARD,  
Superintendent.

## RECEIVER'S NOTICE OF SALE

To Whom It May Concern: Pursuant to authority of the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States, the undersigned William L. Koenig, as Receiver of The Citizens National Bank of Sedalia, Missouri, will offer at public sale to the highest bidder or bidders for cash, at Sedalia, Missouri, on May 23, 1937 at 10 o'clock (A. M.) the remaining assets of the said The Citizens National Bank of Sedalia, Missouri, consisting of (real estate, bills receivable, judgments, overdrafts, and other choses in action and chattels) less such items (or articles) as may be paid or otherwise disposed of prior to the said date of sale herein mentioned. A descriptive list of the remaining assets so offered for sale may be inspected by prospective purchasers at the Third National Bank, Sedalia, Missouri, and at the office of the Receiver of the Citizens National Bank of Sedalia, on all business days up to and including the date of the sale between the hours of 9:00 A. M., and 3:00 P. M.

"According to law, said remaining assets cannot be sold otherwise than without recourse and without warranty of any kind or character, and subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States, and subject to confirmation by a court of record of competent jurisdiction."

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## ESTIMATED 2,000 HOTEL WORKERS OUT IN ST. LOUIS

### Guests Lug Own Baggage and Ball Players Clean Own Rooms

ST. LOUIS, May 15.—Guests lugged their own baggage, made their own beds and with apparent good nature put up with other limited services today in eight leading St. Louis hotels affected by a strike of union chambermaids, bellhops, cooks and other employees.

Hotel managers and their assistants ran elevators and attempted to fill in as best they could the gap left by the walkout of an estimated 2,000 workers. The president of a national hotel company assisted in preparing and serving breakfast in a hotel kitchen.

With their helpers on strike, head chefs turned out whatever dishes their larders made possible, but union drivers, in sympathy with the hotel workers, ceased delivery of all supplies, except milk. Most of the hotels shut down their dining rooms and made no attempt to serve lunch or dinner. Union musicians announced they would not play at the hotels tonight.

Manager Gordon (Mickey) Cochran and members of his Detroit baseball team were forced to make beds and clean up their own rooms at a strike-bound hotel. They ate breakfast at nearby drug stores and hamburger stands and then went to a downtown restaurant for lunch before this afternoon's ball game.

**Coffee and Doughnuts**  
One hundred deans and teachers from 49 schools carried their own luggage from a hotel, where they could get only doughnuts and coffee for breakfast, when the annual convention of the National University Extension Association ended at noon. Union taxicab drivers refused to carry bags in or out of the building.

Pickets, representing five American Federation of Labor unions, marched in front of each of the eight hotels, which had been selected for the strike demonstrations in an attempt to force all of the 28 members of the St. Louis Hotel Association to agree to demands for a closed shop.

When that objective was gained, the unions intended to negotiate on questions of wages and hours. Failure to reach a closed shop agreement by Monday or Tuesday will result in a strike at all of the hotels, union leaders declared.

William Victor, president of the Hotel Association, issued a statement in which he said "a closed shop is impractical in the hotel business" because the necessity of dealing with union officers in employer-employee relations would hamper "acting quickly when a question of efficiency in serving guests arises."

**Department Heads To Duty**  
ST. LOUIS, May 15.—(P)—Guests in downtown St. Louis hotels completely experienced a minimum of difficulties while hotel employees were on strike today.

Elevator service, which guests seem to value most highly, was not seriously impaired, although in most hotels only one elevator was operating, manned by drafted employees.

Guests complained their chief difficulty was getting food. Restaurants located near hotels reported a boom.

"Just so I get a clean towel every day some way or another," one man remarked.

At the Jefferson, all department heads remained on duty, and while the service wasn't up to standard, guests stood patiently waiting while two elevators made all the trips.

Gregory R. Lucy, publicity director, was in charge of one elevator. A Negro janitor was running the other. On his first trip he didn't know that it was necessary to stop the elevator at the ninth floor to cut down the power, and the car hit the top with such a bump it was stalled for 15 minutes.

Mrs. Carl Roessler, wife of the manager, pitched in and helped by carrying linens to the rooms. Those of the 450 employees who remained on duty—about 40—prepared to live at the hotel.

Some guests who were checking out satisfied their sense of neatness by straightening the bed covers. Persons who wanted ice water or cigarettes had to get their own.

Several guests, victims of similar strikes elsewhere, declared the tie-up wasn't bad at all. A. H. McClasky, Los Angeles, Calif., stopping at the Mayfair, said he was in Detroit at the time of the recent strike there. "And that really was something," he asserted. "I had to walk down from the twenty-second floor. I'm only on the fourth floor here."

Al Berger, New York City, a guest at the Lennox and also a victim of the Detroit strike said, "Just no room service here, otherwise I don't mind at all," he said.

E. McEachron, Milwaukee, Wis., was another who declared he had been in much worse hotel strikes.

"I was in New York recently at the time of a strike, and being on a high floor I didn't like it. But this isn't bad at all."

Dave Rosenstock, Omaha, Neb., stopping at the Statler, said his only complaint was the lack of meals.

Long lines of pickets marched up

and down in front of each hotel entrance, several of the striking employees carrying red, white and blue umbrellas or union placards. No attempt was made to keep guests or other persons from entering.

### ALLAN KARF TO MANAGE THEATRES

A. Allan Karf, of Springfield, a former manager of the Fox theatres in Sedalia, will be transferred back to this city, effective May 29, succeeding Glenn Carroll, present manager. The Fox management, in notifying Mr. Carroll of the change Saturday, stated it had not decided where he would be located, but would determine Tuesday of this week, as there are two locations under consideration.

Ensign Barbour, private theatre owner and manager of Springfield, has consolidated his interests with the Fox interests in that city, and will assume management of all theatres. Leon Robertson, formerly with the Uptown in Sedalia, will be assistant manager.

Mr. Karf returns to Sedalia after a year's absence. He succeeded Vogel Gettier, a former Sedalia manager in Springfield, Mr. Carroll, who received his early theatre training in Sedalia, his home, came to Sedalia from Coffeyville, Kas., where he had been located seven years.

### NOLAN BRICKEN A U. C. T. DELEGATE

CARTHAGE, Mo., May 15.—Lee S. Chaney, Kansas City, was elected Grand Counselor of Missouri United Commercial Travelers at the closing session of their annual two-day convention here today.

Other officers chosen were W. A. Brown, Hannibal, grand junior counselor; Bob Bates, Carthage, grand past counselor; Leo P. Janson, St. Louis, secretary; Ralph Pipes, St. Joseph, treasurer; Burl Rickman, Aurora, conductor; H. J. Ortmeyer, Jefferson City, page; A. McDowell, Chillicothe, sentinel and Theodore Kerr, Kansas City, chaplain.

Committee appointments included: Executive committee, E. M. Bomham, Springfield, J. W. Buffington, Mexico, and E. M. Whitten, Carthage; Auditing committee, C. H. Koger, Kansas City; C. K. Frazier, Aurora, and T. A. Appleberry, Springfield, Legislative committee, V. B. Elder and J. H. Ortmeyer, both of Jefferson City, and Matt E. Weltin, Carthage, publicity chairman.

Lee S. Chaney, Kansas City; Nolan Bricken, Sedalia, and W. S. Epperson, Macon, were named delegates to the supreme convention in Columbus, Ohio, next month.

### PHILIP SNOWDEN NOTED BRITON DIES

LONDON, May 15.—Philip Snowden, first viscount of Ickneshaw, former chancellor of the exchequer and a guiding spirit of the British labor movement, died today of a heart attack. He was 72 years old.

The viscount, who overcame invalidism to rise from obscurity in Lancashire and twice hold the purse strings of the British empire, died at 4 a. m. at his country home, Tilford, Surrey.

He had been confined there for some time in ill health. His widow, the Viscountess Snowden, explained on the day before the coronation of King George VI that Lord Snowden was not well enough to attend.

His illness, however, apparently had not seemed critical, for Viscountess Snowden was present and was a guest last night at a state ball at Buckingham palace.

She was informed here of her husband's death and left immediately for Tilford.

Viscount Snowden, who was raised to the peerage by the late King George V in 1931, won his sovereign's recognition for his help in forming the national government in 1931 with Ramsay MacDonald as prime minister.

Lord Snowden later split with MacDonald over repeal of the land tax and bitterly assailed his erstwhile colleague from his seat in the house of lords.

When a storm broke over the Ottawa tariffs bill in 1932 Viscount Snowden remained an uncompromising free trader and sent his resignation to MacDonald.

### NAVY IS CREATING FIGHTING FLIERS

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The Navy disclosed today it has begun to create a vast reservoir of fighting aviators who will be available for service in event of war.

Regulations issued by the bureau of navigation instructed the commanders of each of the 14 naval districts to invite qualified civilian pilots to register.

Officers asserted that the registration would be purely voluntary. Those thus listed will form a "second line" reserve behind the regular peace-time naval aviation reserve, which has an enrollment of only a few hundred because funds are unavailable.

Bureau of air commerce records listed 15,429 active licensed male pilots as of April 1.

Applicants must be male citizens between the ages of 18 and 35; must be high school graduates and must hold active commerce department licenses for "private pilots" or higher classifications.

## MAY CALL HEAD HUNTERS TO PUT UPRISINGS DOWN

### Gurkas Sneak Up On Enemies and Chop Off Heads

By The Associated Press.

JERUSALEM, May 15.—Hindu head hunters may be imported to the Holy Land to suppress any new uprising against British rule.

Reports that they would be brought here have been widely circulated—neither affirmed nor denied officially—and Arab residents of Palestine are worried.

The imported warriors, the reports say, will be fierce little Gurkhas from Nepal whose principal pride is in their ability to stalk down and decapitate an enemy with a single blow of their keen bladed "kukris," or knives.

The Gurkhas live in the hills, and keep in trim by scaling mountain walls at the double quick. They are formidable fighters, especially in rough country similar to their own.

It is in such country that the Arab gangs have taken refuge since the bloody revolt against the British in Palestine last year. Under the wily direction of their "commander in chief," Fawzi Bey Kaukji, they escaped through the hills into Trans-Jordan after the Arab general strike was called off.

**Work Way Into Iraq**  
The revolutionaries were surrounded during the flight by a large force of British, but managed to work their way across the border and on into Iraq. There they have proved a source of embarrassment to the Iraq government. The "commander" has been ordered to remain in Kirkuk, where he is kept under surveillance.

If the Arabs foment new trouble and the Gurkhas are brought in to run them down, it will be a battle of wile against wile. The Arab guerrillas boast "one Arab is worth 10 British soldiers." The Gurkhas don't boast; they just sneak up on their enemies and chop off heads.

Several thousand Gurkhas are now serving under British officers in the Indian army. One reason given as to why they might be brought here is that as Hindus they look on the Moslem Arabs as natural enemies.

That England expects more trouble in handling her Holy Land protectorate has been indicated in recent weeks by intensive mountain fighting drills imposed on the 8,000 British troops that are still here.

Late in April, extensive maneuvers were conducted in the region around Nablus, Jenin and Tulkarm, the "triangle of rioting" during the 1936 revolt.

Lieut. Gen. J. G. Dill, commander of the British forces in the Holy Land, directed the drills, which were based on topographical surveys he made personally.

### DIVORCES EASY IN SOUTH CAROLINA

COLUMBIA, S. C., May 15.—The state of South Carolina again has decided to let the divorce parade go by.

For at least another year the palmetto state will be one of the easiest places in the United States in which to get married (no license delay) and the only place where it is impossible to obtain a divorce.

The state's constitution of 1895 reads: "Divorces from the bonds of matrimony shall not be allowed in this state."

From time to time since that sentence was voted into the law, attempts have been made to remove it. The latest failed this week when the house of representatives continued until the next legislative session a bill to submit to popular vote a constitutional amendment permitting divorce.

ALFRED E. SMITH  
OFF FOR EUROPE

NEW YORK, May 15.—Clad completely in brown, topped by a brown derby, and chewing furiously on a cigar, Alfred E. Smith, veteran navigator of the political seas, sailed today on his first trip to Europe.

The Smiths and their party, which includes State Supreme Court Justice Edward McGoldrick, the Right Rev. Fulton J. Sheen of Washington, D. C., and others will be abroad six weeks.

The Smiths plan to see the Pope in Rome, and then go to Naples, Paris, London and Dublin.

### JEFFERSON CITY COUPLE WED HERE

Mrs. Marian Roach and Everett Hartford Scott, both of Jefferson City, were married about noon Saturday by the Rev. R. E. Hurd, pastor of the Epworth M. E. church, at his home, 1165 East Sixth street.

Mrs. Roach is the former wife of Sid Roach, Jr.

The couple are spending the week end at Hotel Bothwell.

**Fire Does \$15 Damage**  
The fire department answered an alarm to the residence of C. C. Harrison, 1435 South Carr, Friday evening at 6:25 o'clock. Sparks from a blue caused about \$15 damage.

**Anything to sell?**—Somebody wants whatever it is. A for sale ad will get you together. Phone 1000.



Ogden, Utah, banker, who with his wife, spent Friday here as the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Loos, 519 West Fifth street. They are en route to New York and will sail for Europe where Mr. Loos, president of the Ogden Rotary Club, will represent that organization at the International Rotary convention in Nice, France, June 6 to 11. Their daughter, Miss Mary Alice, will join them in the east and make the trip abroad with them. They expect to be gone until about the middle of July.

**PART OF FAIRBANKS  
IS UNDER WATER**  
FAIRBANKS, Alaska, May 15.—(P)—Three-fourths of this interior Alaska town remained under water today as ice jams continued to dam the flooding Tanana and Chena rivers.

Mayor E. B. Collins said the city was in no immediate need of outside assistance but hoped the flood would arouse action on the long-sought federal flood control project.

The flooded sections of the city were under water a few inches to several feet deep. About half the residences were abandoned and the homeless householders sleeping in public buildings and hotels. The water had receded from its record crest, set yesterday.

**'TOURING SLAYER'  
FANTS IN CELL**

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., May 15.—(P)—Lester Brockelhurst, 23, wanted in three states on murder charges, alternately screamed and fainted when guards passed his cell tonight as an Illinois sheriff planned to question him concerning a fourth slaying.

The federal government joined Illinois, Arkansas and Texas today in seeking custody of the alleged "touring slayer" as Sheriff Paul Johnson of Rockford, Ill., said he wanted to interrogate him about the fatal shooting of Herman Luhrsen, gasoline station operator at Rockton, near Rockford, last Feb. 12.

The sheriff, who flew here with a warrant charging Brockelhurst with the murder of Albin Theander, 57, Rockford tailor, said both men were killed by the same type of bullet.

Warrants charging Brockelhurst with the murder of Victor Gates, Little Rock, Ark., and of Jack Griffith, Fort Worth, Tex., tavern keeper, also are in the hands of Assistant District Attorney Eli Gellert, custodian of the former Sunday school teacher and a girl companion, Bernice Felton, 18. Gellert said the prisoner had confessed the Theander, Gates and Griffith slayings.

Gellert said he would retain custody of the pair pending a conference Monday among Illinois, Texas, Arkansas, New York and federal officials. The United States has entered a warrant charging Brockelhurst with interstate transportation of a stolen automobile.

**Judgment in Will Case**  
In a judgment returned Saturday by Judge Dimmitt Hoffman in the case of Charles H. Bell, deceased, versus Willie Bell Major, to construe a will, the court found the instrument purported to be the last will and testament of Charles H. Bell deceased, and further that the intention of the testator was to leave the balance remaining in the estate after payment of debts to his niece, Willie Bell Major, named as executrix.

**Birth of Daughter**  
Mr. and Mrs. James E. Michael, 1420 South Park avenue, are parents of a daughter, born Thursday morning at the Bothwell hospital. The baby has been named Carolyn Louise. Mrs. Michael underwent a Caesarean operation.

## OBITUARIES

Forest W. Potter

Forest W. Potter, born in Morgan County, south of Ottaville October 4, 1853, died at his home in Ottaville Friday. He had been ill seven weeks.

Mr. Potter had been twice married. His first wife and two daughters are deceased. He married Miss Maggie Steele September 10, 1921, and she survives him as do fifteen grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. A brother, J. H. Potter lives south of Ottaville.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the M. E. church in Ottaville, the Rev. C. E. Sullens, formerly pastor of the Ottaville church, now of La Monte, to officiate.

Interment will be in the I. O. O. F. cemetery, Ottaville.

**Funeral of Cecil Henry Foster**  
Funeral services for Cecil Henry Foster, 18 years old, son of Lawrence and Mary Foster, who passed away at the family home on Route 2, will be held at Germantown, Mo., Monday. Burial will be in the cemetery at Germantown.

**Funeral of Frank R. Barnett**  
The funeral of Frank R. Barnett, who passed away at his home 1700 South South Ohio avenue, Thursday evening, was conducted at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel with the Rev. A. W. Kokendoff, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating.

Palbearers were Gus Blatterman, Ralph Boies, Dave Paze, Wallace Bell, Will Almquist and Mr. Licklider.

Interment was in Crown Hill cemetery.

George Albers

George Albers, of Mora, Mo., passed away at the family home at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. He was seventy-two years old.

Mr. Albers was born in St. Louis February 28, 1865 the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Albers. He was married to Caroline Lempe on January 29, 1891.

April 13, 1879 he united with the Evangelical Lutheran church.

Surviving are four children, one daughter, Miss Minnie Albers of the home, three sons, Henry and Rudolf Albers, of Mora, and Emil Albers, of 1419 West Tenth street. Eight grandchildren also survive, La Verne, Leo, William, Marie, and Betty Albers of Mora, Cecilia, Leroy and Mary Ann Albers, all of Sedalia.

The body was taken to Stover. No funeral arrangements have been made pending word from relatives.

William T. Stephens

After a lingering illness of over a year, Wm. T. Stephens died at 7 o'clock Saturday night at the home of his sisters, Mrs. J. J. Keever and Mrs. J. R. McCarthy, 507 1/2 East Fifth street.

Mr. Stephens was the son of Rev. William Stephens, deceased, who was well known in the former St. Louis conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

He joined the Methodist church when a boy and during his illness often requested that he could no longer enjoy the public sermons of the church.

He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. McCarthy and Mrs. Keever of the home and Mrs. A. G. House of Tucson, Ariz.

The remains are at McLaughlin's Funeral Chapel where the funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Monday, May 17.

Rev. R. E. Hurd will officiate. Interment will be in the Smithton cemetery.

Mrs. J. W. Horner, 89 years old, died at the home of her daughter, Adka, in Independence, Mo., Saturday afternoon.

Survivors include a son, J. R. Horner, Sedalia, and a daughter, Mrs. Alice Willard, also a brother, J. W. Scroggins.

No funeral arrangements have been made.

Claude Whitaker

Claude Whitaker, 213 East Second street, passed away early Saturday morning at his home. He was sixty-five years old.

The body was taken to the McLaughlin Funeral Chapel. A short graveside service will be held in Crown Hill cemetery Monday.

### SALESMAN WAS INJURED WHEN AUTO OVERTURNED

I. E. Cutler, Milwaukee, Wis., a representative of the Consolidated Auto Parts Co., Chicago, is in Sedalia for a few days on business and recuperating from injuries received when he turned over near Elus Lick, Mo., several days ago, in his automobile.

Mr. Cutler failed to make a turn on highway 65 south of Blue Lick and his car and Oldsmobile sedan rolled over four times, smashing the body. Mr. Cutler received a wrenched back and a fractured left rib.

### MRS. WARREN WINS IN LADIES' GOLF MATCH

Friday was ladies day on the Country club golf course, honors in the matches going to Mrs. Ralph Warren first and Mrs. C. F. Scotten, second. The ladies will play every Friday morning, having lunch at the close of the games.

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

I HAVE bought the entire furnishings of the old Terry Hotel and will sell at any price. S. K. Mabry, Phone 350.

## MUSSOLINI CALLS HIS PROGRAM ONE SELF-SUFFICIENT

### Lays Down Dictum In Address to Black Uni- formed Audience

By The Associated Press.

ROME, May 15.—Italy will make herself economically self-sufficient even if she has to work "25 hours a day," Premier Benito Mussolini proclaimed today.

He called this program a guarantee of peace and a surety of "the life, the future and the power" of the Italian people.

The hard-jawed premier laid down his dictum before cheering members of the corporative guild, which includes representatives of all phases of Fascist life, at their annual meeting.

Il Duce's black-uniformed audience laughed and applauded his ironic references to democracies, which he declared, wished Italy to abandon her self-sufficiency program "for we know not what."

He provoked a demonstration by an apparent reference to the United States when he spoke of a country which "prohibited collective labor contracts until a month ago."

(Presumably he referred to the upholding of the Wagner labor relations act by the United States supreme court.)

Mussolini has set up a "corporative" system under which strikes are forbidden and arbitration of labor disputes is compulsory.

Standing in the shadow of the statue of Julius Caesar, Il Duce declared:

"Economic autarchy (self-sufficiency) is a guarantee of peace which we firmly desire. It is an impediment to war. x x x

"For us it is impossible in a world armed to the teeth to abandon such a policy. It would mean putting ourselves tomorrow, in case of war, at the mercy of those who have all and who can make war without limitation of time or consumption."

"Fascism does not wish to absorb the economic life of the people," he added, "because Fascism doesn't wish to become elephantine and paralytic as happens under Bolshevism."

Although he asserted his economic policy would not diminish the volume of world trade, political sources said they felt his speech indicated Italy was "not in a mood to make active contributions to solution of the world's economic difficulties."

By contrast, Count Galeazzo Ciano Mussolini's foreign minister, told the chamber of deputies Thursday that Italy would cooperate in any United States effort for world economic betterment.

Some sources believed Mussolini would press for self-sufficiency in materials necessary in war-time but might consider trade agreements in other fields.

### STILL MAKE MONEY AFTER KING CORONATION

LONDON, May 15.—(P)—The coronation is over, but England continues to make money on it.

A total of 3,893 persons, mostly Americans, paid \$2.50 each today for the privilege of walking through Westminster Abbey and gazing at the spot where George VI was crowned Wednesday.

**Case Was Dismissed**  
Robert Jarvis, arrested by the police Thursday evening on a charge of common assault upon a small girl, pleaded not guilty to Justice of the Peace Bell Hutchinson, Saturday afternoon and after a hearing was dismissed.

**Rev. Hollis to Speak**  
Rev. E. L. Hollis will deliver an address on education at the Butler Lawson school near Longwood Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The WPA singers under the direction of Mrs. Florine Gault will sing several numbers.

## WOMEN DEMOCRATS OBSERVE BIRTHDAY

The Pettis County Democratic Women's club held its fifth birthday party Saturday, a meeting in the assembly room of the court house, with Mrs. Emmett O'Malley, of Jefferson City, honor guest and speaker. Mrs. Herman Myers, president, presided, and Mrs. J. D. Witcher, acted as secretary.

During the session resolutions were passed commending Mrs. Myers for her splendid regime the past year and set forth some of the things accomplished, particularly the financing of the sixth district rally and the fact that the club had made the largest donation to the county campaign fund during any of its five years.

The following committees were named:

Membership, Mrs. Chester S. Long, chairman, with all county committee members as members.

Program, Mrs. Lawrence Barnett, Mrs. May Moser, Mrs. Ingra Melton, Mrs. L. McClune, Mrs. Stanton Hudson.

Ways and means, Mrs. Henry Dickman, Mrs. Wm. Katzer, Mrs. Harry Fowler, Mrs. John Perdue, Mrs. Fred Olmstead, Mrs. T. E. Shoemaker, Mrs. John S. Doving, Mrs. Charles Bolton, Mrs. Frank Hogleman, Mrs. J. D. Witcher.

Welfare, Mrs. John Starkey, Mrs. C. Redding, Mrs. E. J. Thomas, Mrs. Clyde Brown, Miss Roseanne Dugan, Miss Mary Chloris Nelson, Mrs. J. C. Connor.

Reception, Mrs. Frank Monroe, Mrs. E. W. Jones, Mrs. C. A. Green, Mrs. Fred Wesner, Mrs. W. D. O'Bannon, Mrs. Jodie Staples, Mrs. F. L. Hodges, Mrs. E. P. Mulhaley, Mrs. Pat Sullivan, Miss Jean Slack, Miss Tracy Berry.

Auditing, Miss Myrtle Love, Miss Alice Scott, Mrs. Ann Humphrey.

Constitution and by-laws, Mrs. R. T. Phelan, Mrs. E. W. Jones, Mrs. A. C. Shields.

Decorations, Mrs. Mae Howe, Mrs. Lou Leslie, Mrs. John S. Devline, Mrs. Walter Boulevard, Mrs. Charles Thompson, Mrs. Leo Sullivan.

### FORMER "COWBOY CONGRESSMAN" DIES

COALGATE, Okla., May 15.—Percy L. Gassaway, 52, the colorful rancher who rose to political prominence as Oklahoma's "Cowboy Congressman," died unexpectedly today of a heart attack.

Death came in an ambulance on a futile dash to an Ada hospital from his ranch near here.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p. m. tomorrow at the ranch home.



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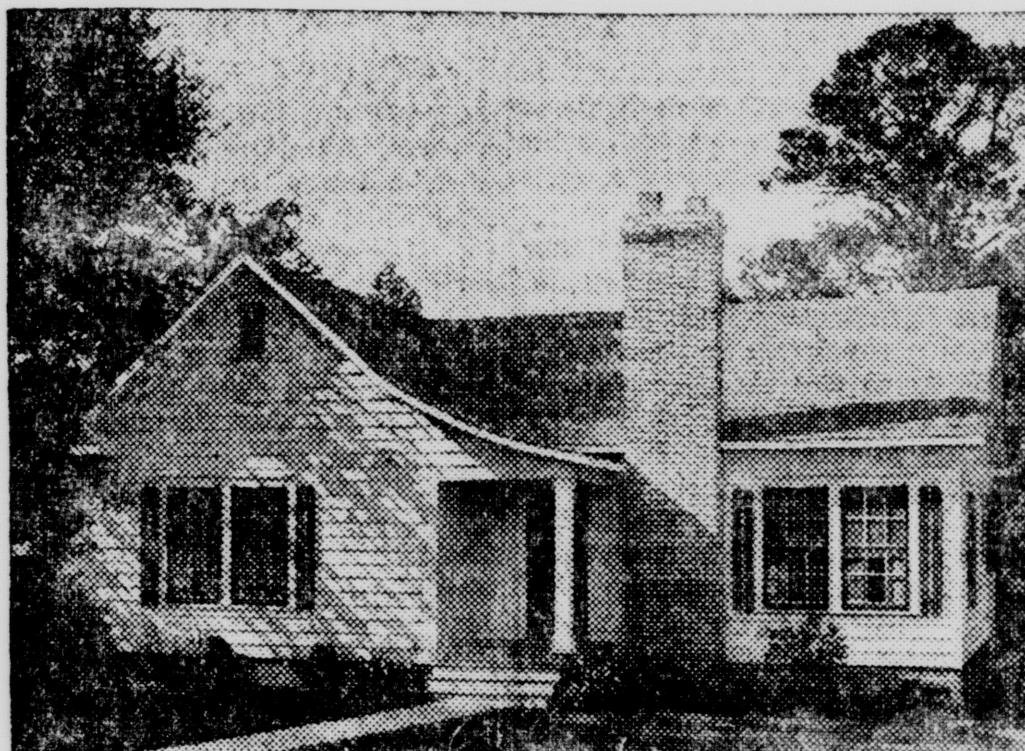
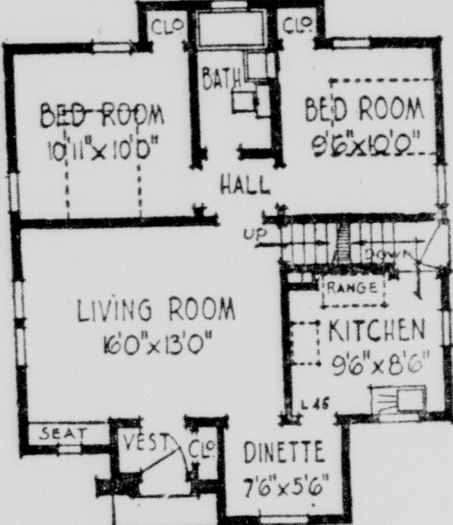
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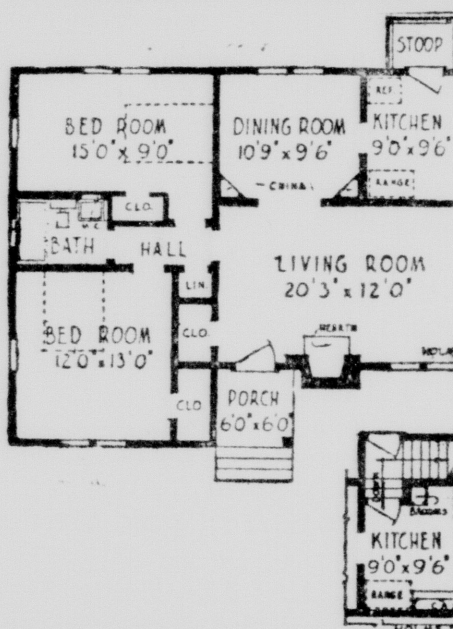
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**YOUNG WANDERERS  
CEASE ROAMING**

By The Associated Press.

ST. PAUL, May 15.—America's  
wandering youths are back home  
again.

The boys and girls who aimlessly  
roamed the United States a few  
years ago are now at work or in  
school, Colonel Hulda Smith of Chi-  
cago, commander of the northeast  
area of the Volunteers of America,  
reported today at the organization's  
annual national council.

She expressed the opinion the  
national youth administration and  
the CCC camps "had a wonderful in-  
fluence" on the youthful itinerants  
of the depression while business,  
industry and agriculture had re-  
moved many of them from the road.

"A few years ago, when the de-  
pression was at its worst, so many  
of our young people started drift-  
ing," she said. "Drifting from one  
town to another—from their homes  
to parks and hobo 'jungles' in  
strange cities—from wholesome cir-  
cles to petty thievery and crime—  
in short, from bad to worse.

"The problem of the wandering  
youth was becoming a menace. Of  
course, the volunteers and other  
charitable organizations were doing  
what they could, but were over-  
whelmed. Nightly the police stations  
in the larger cities were filled with  
young boys, and girls occasionally,  
who should have been at home with  
their parents or at school.

"Most of the child hoboos, as they  
were called, were not homeless or-  
phans or waifs, but were children  
of parents who were unable to sur-  
vive the depression. In a great  
many cases the boys sensing they  
were a burden to their parents,  
left their homes to seek jobs in  
other places. Usually, of course,  
they didn't find any.

"But wandering youth, at least  
the young hobo type so common a  
few years ago, has practically dis-  
appeared from the United States."

**SATISFACTORY PRICES ON  
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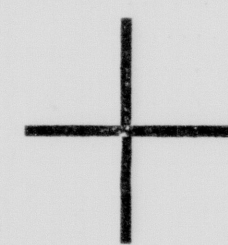
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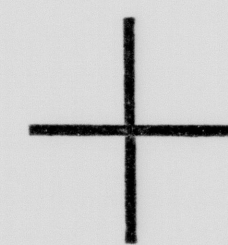


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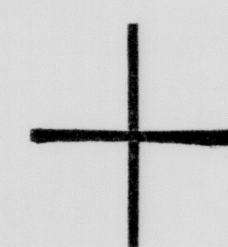
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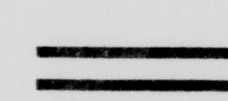
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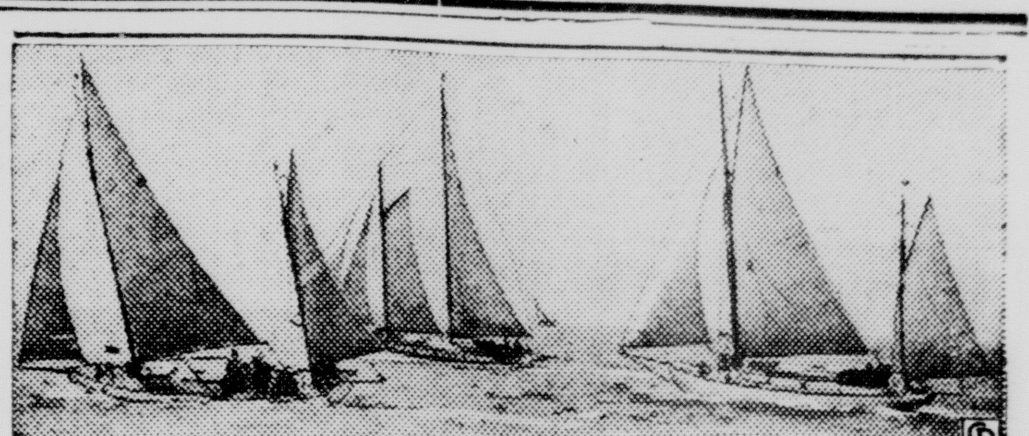
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RISE TO OCCASION—Graceful, these equines taking a jump during a steeplechase at Belmont Park.

# SPORTS



GONE WITH THE WIND—Yachts pictured taking off in Aeolian Yacht club regatta in new Berkeley, Cal., harbor.

## A 12-TEAM CITY SOFTBALL LOOP SEEMS ASSURED

Most of the Entries Are Practicing for First Games on June 1

A field of at least twelve teams to contest for the city softball championship won last year by the Rosenthal Clothiers is virtually assured for the 1937 City League. Coach Donald Davenport, supervisor of the league, has announced. Many of the teams already have completed their rosters and are working out regularly in preparation for the league race which is expected to get under way on Tuesday night, June 1. With the weather permitting, some of the teams plan to start their exhibition games this week.

The entries to date as listed by Coach Davenport are: Rosenthal Clothiers, Stewart Avenue Market, Missouri Pacific Apprentice Club, Montgomery Ward, J. C. Penney, Missouri Pacific Boosters, American Disinfecting Company, Katy and Shryack-Wright Grocery Company. Three other teams are being lined up but the banners under which they will play have not been determined.

The league probably will be operated along the same lines as last year with two divisions, each playing twice a week. Exhibition games with strong out-of-town teams also are expected to be a part of the program this year.

Players not already connected with some team and who desire to play in the league and organizations wishing to sponsor teams should register with Coach Davenport at once.

A meeting to complete the arrangements and draw up the schedule will be held the last of this week or the first of next week.

## Probable Pitchers Today in the Major Leagues

**American League**  
New York at Philadelphia—Ruffing vs. Caster.  
Boston at Washington—Marcum vs. Weaver.  
Detroit at St. Louis—Lawson vs. Bonetti.  
Cleveland at Chicago—Harder vs. Kennedy.  
**National League**  
Brooklyn at Boston—Mungo vs. Fette.  
Philadelphia at New York—Pasau vs. Castleman.  
St. Louis at Pittsburgh—Wetland vs. Bowman.  
Chicago at Cincinnati—Root vs. Hollingsworth.

## Baseball Standings

National League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Pittsburgh	15	5	.750
St. Louis	13	8	.619
New York	12	10	.545
Brooklyn	11	10	.524
Chicago	10	11	.476
Cincinnati	7	12	.368
Philadelphia	8	14	.364
Boston	7	13	.350
American League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Philadelphia	10	6	.625
St. Louis	11	8	.579
Cleveland	9	7	.563
Detroit	10	10	.500
Boston	8	8	.500
St. Louis	8	10	.444
Chicago	8	11	.421
Washington	8	12	.400
American Association			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Milwaukee	19	4	.826
Minneapolis	13	11	.542
Toledo	13	13	.500
St. Paul	10	11	.476
Kansas City	9	11	.450
Columbus	10	14	.417
Louisville	9	13	.409
Indianapolis	8	14	.364

## How Much Do You Know?

1. Who won the figure skating championship for women at the 1936 Olympics?



2. In what sport has Jimmy Smith made his name famous?  
3. In what year did Red Grange make his famous touchdown spree against Michigan?

## The Answers

1—Sonja Henie, now a screen actress.



2—Bowing.  
3—In 1924.

## Grade School Softball

Friday's Results  
Sacred Heart 13, Whittier 10.  
St. Patrick 6, Broadway 5 (8 innings).

Washington 16, Horace Mann 3.  
Jefferson 19, Mark Twain 1.  
Monday's Schedule  
Washington vs. Jefferson.  
Whittier vs. Sacred Heart.  
Broadway vs. Sacred Heart.

The fast-stepping Jefferson team continued on its unbeaten way in the Grade School Softball league Friday afternoon with a 19 to 1 victory over Mark Twain, but yielded the spotlight for the day to a pair of contenders battling for a share of second place.

St. Patrick and Broadway waged the closest and most bitterly fought game of the current schedule before the "Fighting Irish" eked out a 6 to 5 victory in an extra-inning affair.

The contest, marked by frequent interruptions and every imaginable kind of argument in the schoolboy's baseball rule book, was forced into an extra inning when St. Patrick came from behind in the sixth and seventh frames to tally three times and tie the score. The "Irish" with the heavy end of their batting order coming up, pushed over the deciding run in the first overtime session.

The victory enabled St. Patrick to keep pace with its parochial rival, Sacred Heart, which defeated Whittier, 13 to 10, in another hammer-and-tongue battle. The results left St. Patrick and Sacred Heart tied for second, one notch behind the swift traveling Jefferson team, and all but eliminated the chances of Whittier capturing the league championship for the second consecutive time.

Monday's schedule will be featured by Washington's attempt to head off Jefferson and prolong the settlement of the pennant race until the closing stages.

The standings to date:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Jefferson	4	0	1.000
Sacred Heart	3	1	.750
St. Patrick	3	1	.750
Washington	2	2	.500
Whittier	2	2	.500
Broadway	2	2	.500
Mark Twain	0	4	.000
Horace Mann	0	4	.000

## Washington Wins Valley Track and Field Title

ST. LOUIS, May 15.—(AP)—Washington University of St. Louis won its first Missouri Valley Conference track and field meet here today, nosing out the Oklahoma Aggies.

Washington scored 46½ points and the Aggies 44.

Drake, the defending champion, was third with 36 points, Grinnell fourth, with 30 points.

A crowd of 2,000 attended the meet at which no records were broken.

## Baseball Results

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
St. Louis . . . 000 200 002—4 5 0  
Pittsburgh . . . 010 001 000—2 8 1  
Harrell, J. Dean and Ogdowski; Swift and Todd.

Chicago . . . 000 000 002—2 2 0  
Cincinnati . . . 000 000 03x—3 6 1  
Parnelle and Hartnett; Grissom and V. Davis.

First game:  
Philadelphia . . . 000 020 040—6 11 2  
New York . . . 000 020 000—2 9 0  
Walter, Mulcahy, Johnson and Wilson; Fitzsimmons, Smith, Coffman and Danning.

Second game:  
Philadelphia . . . 010 000 000—1 4 0  
New York . . . 001 000 01x—2 6 0  
Lamaster and Atwood; Schumacher and Mancuso.  
Brooklyn at Boston, postponed, rain.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Cleveland . . . 000 000 000—0 3 1  
Chicago . . . 010 100 04x—6 10 0  
Galehouse, Heving and Pytlak; Stratton and Sewell.

New York . . . 005 000 010—6 8 0  
Philadelphia . . . 100 000 130—5 12 0  
Pearson, Malone and Dickey; Kelley, Turbeville, Smith, Williams, Thomas and Hayes.  
Home run: Johnson.

Boston . . . 000 310 000—4 8 1  
Washington . . . 110 011x—5 12 0  
Grove and R. Ferrell; Newsom, Appleton and Riddle, Millies.  
Home runs: Fox, Higgins and Simmons.

Detroit . . . 020 100 002—5 8 1  
St. Louis . . . 005 500 01x—11 16 0  
Sorrell, Auker and Cochrane; Hildebrand and Huffman.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**  
St. Paul 4, Columbus 3.  
Minneapolis 9, Toledo 1.  
Kansas City at Louisville, night game postponed, cold weather.  
Milwaukee at Indianapolis, night game, postponed, rain.

## THE PREAKNESS TO WAR ADMIRAL IN CLOSE FINISH

Derby King Nips Pompoon by a Head in \$50,000 Turf Classic

BY ORLO ROBERTSON  
BALTIMORE, May 15.—Refusing to give an inch in the last three-sixteenths of a mile, Samuel Riddle's War Admiral strengthened his claim to the three-year-old turf title today as he thrust back the game stretch challenge of J. H. Louchheim's Pompoon in the \$50,000 Preakness.

The two horses came to the finish line of the mile and three-sixteenths test separated by the narrow margin of a head to furnish one of the most exciting climaxes in the 47 years of the Pimlico classic and duplicate their order of finish in the Kentucky Derby.

War Admiral, diminutive son of Man O'War proved himself a true champion by running the distance in 1:58 2-5.

The track was still a trifle slow from yesterday's rains, but the time was only a fifth of a second slower than the Preakness record hung up by High Quest three years ago.

Flash "Photo Finish" Sign  
The judges flashed the "photo finish" sign as the two horses hit the finish line, but it was evident that War Admiral's head was in front. The margin was so small, however, that many, viewing the race from a difficult angle, had to wait until the picture was developed before their hopes were confirmed.

The greater part of the \$230,981 which passed through the mutuels on the race went to the support of War Admiral. As a result, he was the shortest priced winner in the history of the stake.

A \$2 win ticket on the Admiral returned only \$2.70. He paid \$2.30 to place and \$2.40 to show. As the second choice, Pompoon returned \$2.40 and \$2.70 to place and show, respectively. Flying Scot, one of the outsiders in the wagering that favored little but the first two horses, paid 2 and 1 to show.

Earnings For Year to \$106,600  
The victory netted Riddle \$45,600 and ran War Admiral's earnings for the year to \$106,600.

The victory sent War Admiral into the select circle of thoroughbreds which have won both the Preakness and Derby. War Admiral's next engagement will be in the Belmont, June 5.

The wagering indicated a two-horse race and that's what it was. Flying Scot was six lengths back in third place, beating Juliet M. Loft's Mosawire by a length and a half.

Mosawire saved the last money position by a length from Mrs. W. H. Furst's Over The Top. Then came Walter M. Jeffords' Matey, the big disappointment, Eunice G. Rand's Merry Maker, an outsider when the track became fast, and Jewell Dorsett.

## CARDINALS RALLY TO BEAT BUCS 4-2

By The Associated Press.

PITTSBURGH, May 15.—The St. Louis Cardinals rallied in the ninth inning today to beat Pittsburgh 4 to 2 and reduce the Pirates' lead in the National League pennant race to two and one-half games.

A fumble by young Lee Handley at second base started the Cards on a two run spree in the final frame. The decision was a tough one for Pitcher Bill Swift, who held the Cardinals to five hits.

Dizzy Dean, chased to the showers yesterday by the Pirates' bats, returned in the ninth to halt a threatening rally. Harrell, who had shown signs of wobbling, got two men on the base with one out, and Dean was rushed in. He walked Pinch Hitter Lucas, filling the stations, but caused Jensen to fly out to center and Paul Waner to line to Moore.

## Metropolitan Mile at Belmont Won by Snark

By The Associated Press.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Wheatley Stable's Snark ran like the champion he is to win the historic Metropolitan mile at Belmont Park today.

Snark, holder of the world record for 6 1/2 furlongs in 1:15 4/5, finished the mile in 1:37 4/5, brilliant time over a muddy track. He was two lengths ahead of Greentree Stable's Memory Book at the finish and paid the long odds of 10 to 1 to win.

The favorite, Hal Price Headley's Whopper, was third in the field of eight. Maemere Farm's Maeriel took fourth money, trailed by Sgt. Byrne, Bill Farnsworth, Count Arthur and White Cockade.

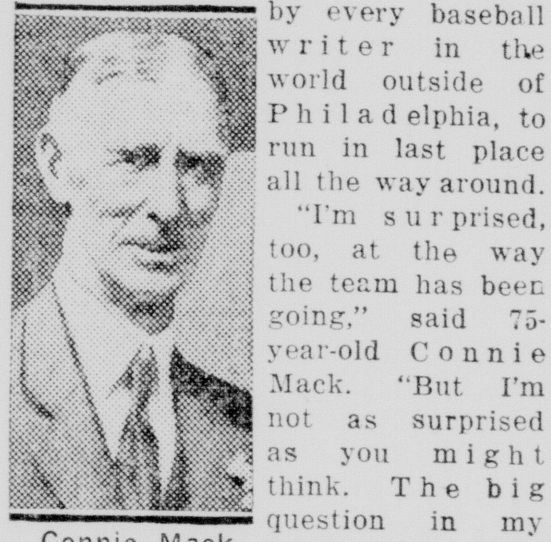
College Baseball  
Oklahoma 14, Kansas 2.  
Wentworth 7, St. Paul 6.

## TALES IN TIDBITS

Club Can Be Made Permanent Winner, Says Mack  
Manager Figures A's Real Treat in 1938  
Aged Boss Says He Likes Way Boys Battle

CLEVELAND, May 15.—The manager of the "surprise team" of the American League looked out a hotel window at the rain which had caused cancellation of the ball game.

That amazing ball club, the Athletics, was in first place, with all hands playing like champions. It was a team that had been figured by every baseball writer in the world outside of Philadelphia, to run in last place all the way around.



Connie Mack  
You know, was pitchers. Young pitchers always are a puzzle. But they have shown much more than I expected."

Was there the markings of a championship team in this club? "I don't expect any championship this year," replied Mack, "but I do think we have a club that can be made a pennant winner. Surely we'll be contenders in 1938, and we may make it pretty hard for the others this year. The players are hustling."

"I'm satisfied we have a finished outfield in Moses, Finney and Bob Johnson. We have been getting good fielding from the infield, too. Dean has improved a lot at first base since he came to us last year. He's hitting better, too. Cissel, at second, helps our infield a great deal. He has loads of baseball knowledge. Steadies the younger chaps. He has been hustling hard this year, and when Cissel makes up his mind to hustle, my goodness, he's a splendid second baseman."

Timely Hitting  
"Newsome has come along at short. A wonderful fielder, and he'll hit better. Say, we have been getting timely hitting though, even if it isn't slugging. Werber is in a batting slump, but has been great at third. Have you noticed how John Rothrock is hitting for us?"

Some of the scribes had been saying the A's were playing over their heads, and were due for a relapse. "We may stay right around the

top longer than the writers think," Mack resumed. "I don't know where these pitchers are going to take us. We've certainly got fine young prospects. Al Williams, great big fellow with a lot of speed, is a great prospect. He came to us from Atlanta. Only 22 years old. Wait until he gets a little experience."

"Two of the pitchers who were going fine for us at the close of last year, haven't started to figure yet, but wait until they're in shape to work regularly, and then see how we go. I mean Petey Ross and Herman Fink. Ross hasn't been feeling well, so we haven't used him, and Fink has had a bad cold and we haven't used him. He went home to Concord, N. C. for a rest and seems to have left his illness there. He's almost ready."

"Caster is an improved pitcher since putting in a year at Portland. We got Earl Brucker from Portland, too. Quite a catcher. He is a veteran and helps the younger pitchers immensely. We let him catch when Caster is pitching. Frank Hayes catches Harry Kelley. They seem to work better together. We divide the catching job up about equally. Hayes is a fine young catcher."

They Fight Hard  
"The important thing about the whole club is the way they're all fighting. They won't quit. A five-run lead in the fifth inning doesn't scare them. They like to play ball, too. The players have confidence in the pitchers and are working like Trojans. I don't think our good pitching is such an accident, either. Mickey Cochrane told me we showed the Tigers the best pitching they had seen so far."

Mr. Mack (they all call him that) had suffered a serious leg infection as a result of being struck on the leg by a ball in Mexico City. How was that?

"Completely better," he said. "Completely. You know that's the first time I've been sick in I don't know how long. During the last few years my health has been getting better, actually it has. I don't miss a day on the bench any more. "And having a club like this makes me feel young all over again. My goodness, those young fellows have the fight!"

Youth and fight! Another pennant for the A's and their 74-year-old manager? Well, who knows? Baseball is a strange game!

and tied the 100-yard mark in 9.8. The other record breaking achievement came when Bird of Kansas pole vaulted 13 feet, 2 inches and Noble, a fellow Jayhawker, equalled the performance on his second trial.

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## TWO RECORDS BROKEN AS JEWELL TRACKMEN TAKE M. C. A. U. TITLE

By The Associated Press.

FULTON, Mo., May 15.—Two records were broken as William Jewell college of Liberty, Mo., won the Missouri College Athletic Union track and field meet here today with 53 points. Tarkio college of Tarkio, Mo., collected 46 points to take second honors.

Missouri Valley of Marshall was third with 29 1-2 points and Westminster college of Fulton amassed 27 1-2 points for fourth place. Central college, Springfield, had eight points.

Last year Tarkio nosed out William Jewell by a half point to win the meet.

Cotner of Tarkio established a new meet record in the broad jump with a mark of 22 feet 5 inches. The former record was 22 feet 3 1-2 inches set by Avis of Westminster in 1936.

William Jewell's 880-yard relay team set the second new meet record with a time of 1:30:8. The new mark bettered the record of 1:31 established by Westminster in 1932.

## PHILLIPS BALL CLUB TO TAKE ON BEAMAN TODAY

The Phillips "66" baseball team will take on the Beaman club at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon on the Beaman diamond. Pursey and Wolf will form the Phillips battery while White and Middleton will work for Beaman.

## Today's Schedule

**National League**  
St. Louis at Pittsburgh.  
Chicago at Cincinnati.  
Philadelphia at New York.  
Brooklyn at Boston.  
**American League**  
New York at Philadelphia.  
Boston at Washington.  
Detroit at St. Louis.  
Cleveland at Chicago.  
**American Association**  
(All doubleheaders)  
Kansas City at Louisville.  
Milwaukee at Indianapolis.  
St. Paul at Columbus.  
Minneapolis at Toledo.

## STRATTON HOLDS TRIBE TO THREE HITS; SOX WIN 6-0

CHICAGO, May 15.—Monty Stratton, towering White Sox right hander, held the Cleveland Indians to three singles today to achieve his fourth victory and his second shut-out of the season when Chicago won the first game of the series, 6 to 0.

## FRIDAY'S RESULTS

**National League**  
St. Louis 4, Pittsburgh 14.  
Only game played.  
**American League**  
Detroit 5, St. Louis 6.  
Only game played.  
**American Association**  
Milwaukee 6, Columbus 1.  
Only game scheduled.

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## ATHLETICS OPPOSE IONIA CLUB TODAY

The Sedalia Athletics baseball team will journey to Ionia, Mo., this afternoon for a game with the team at that place. It will be the second start of the year for the Athletics who open their home season at Liberty Park next Sunday against the Jefferson City Tweedie Shoe Company team.

Gene Horner will be on the mound for the Athletics with Summers catching. The remainder of the lineup will be: Livengood, 1b; Lobaugh, 2b; Light, ss; Small, 3b; Case, lf; Barnes, cf, and Zey, rf.

The entire squad will make the trip.

## Nestell Injured; Fight With Pastor Postponed

By The Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., May 15.—The proposed bout May 24 between Bob Pastor of New York and Bob Nestell of California was postponed indefinitely today when Nestell said a split eye would prevent him from training adequately.

## Cincinnati Rookie Halts Cubs, 3-2, on Two Hits

By The Associated Press.

CINCINNATI, May 15.—Behind Yefy Lee Grissom's two-hit hurling, the Cincinnati Reds won their first game of the season at home today and climbed out of the National league cellar by defeating Chicago 3 to 2.

For six innings, only one Cub, Hack, reached first on a walk in the second frame.

The Reds scored all their runs after two were out in the seventh.

## College Track

At Ames, Ia.: Kansas State 69; Minnesota 48; Iowa State 45.

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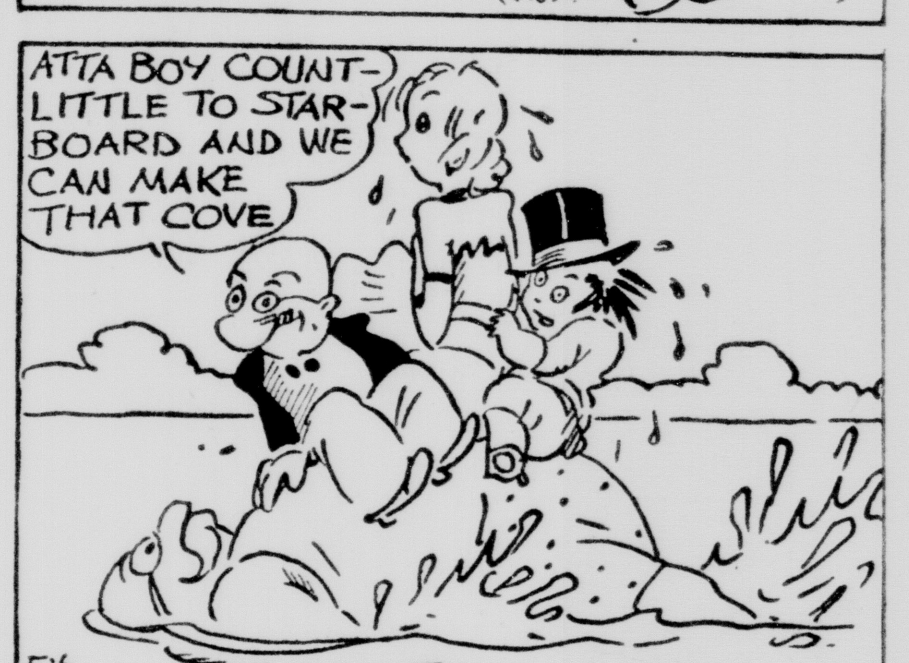
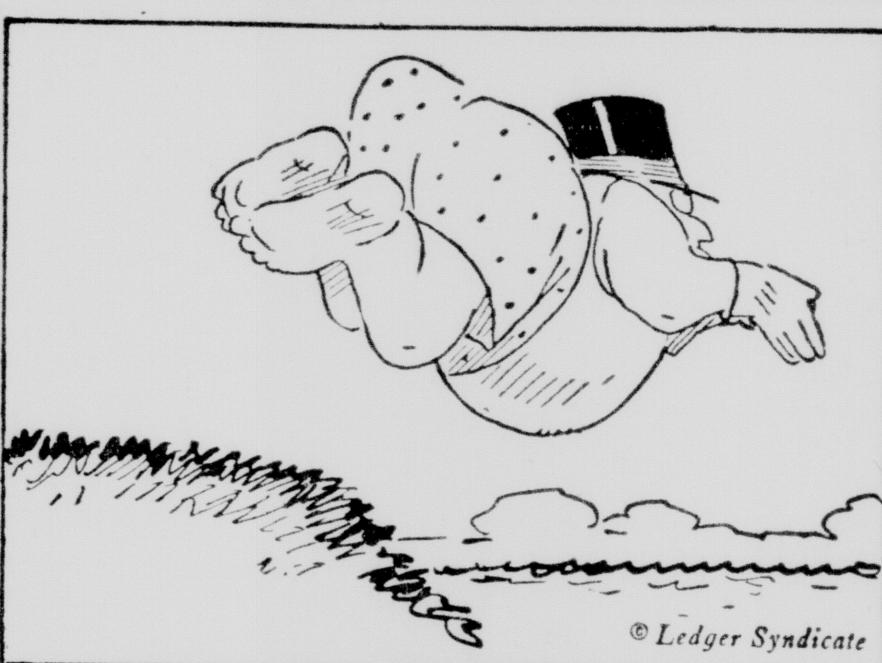
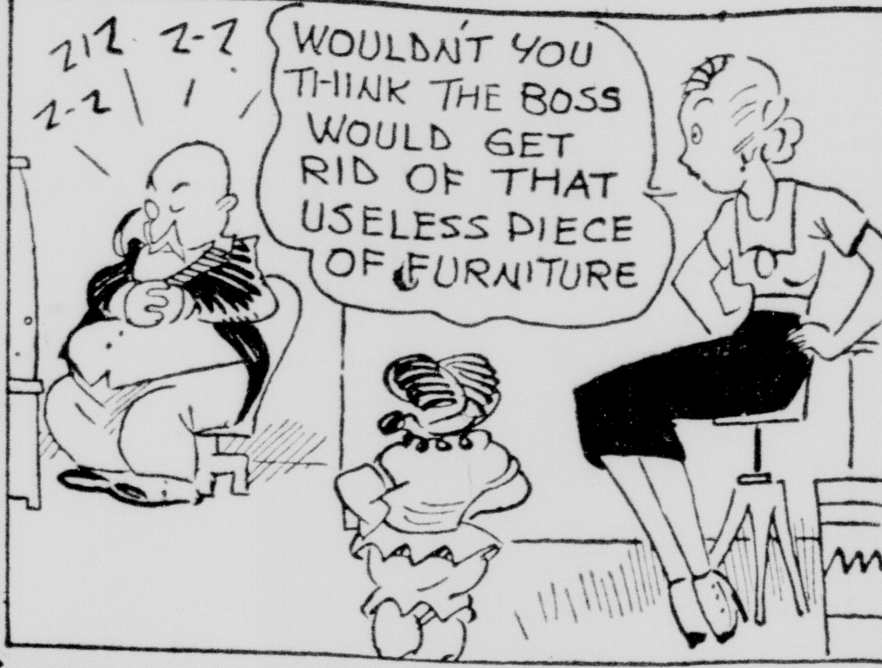
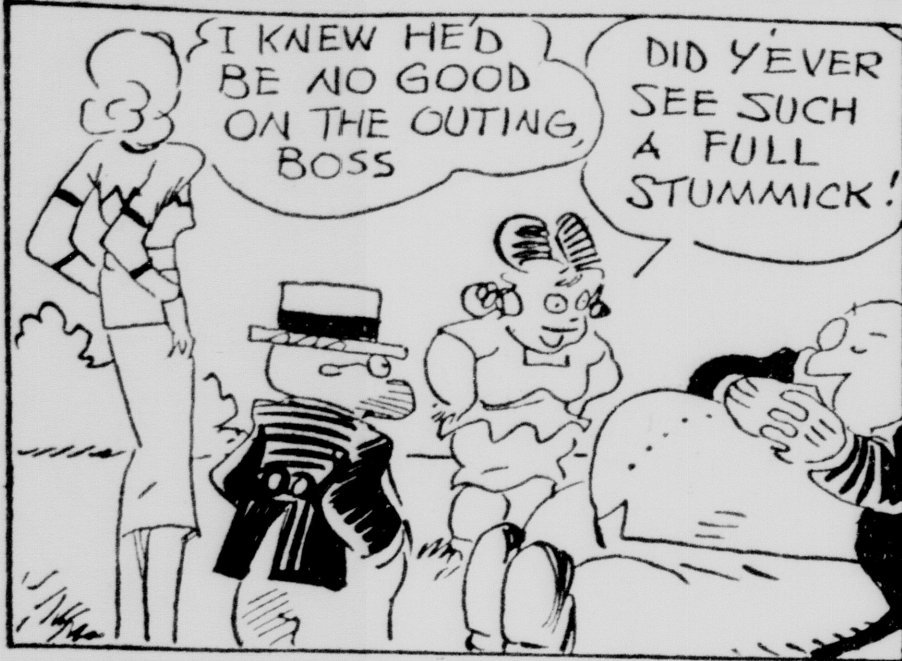
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MUGGS AND SKEETER  
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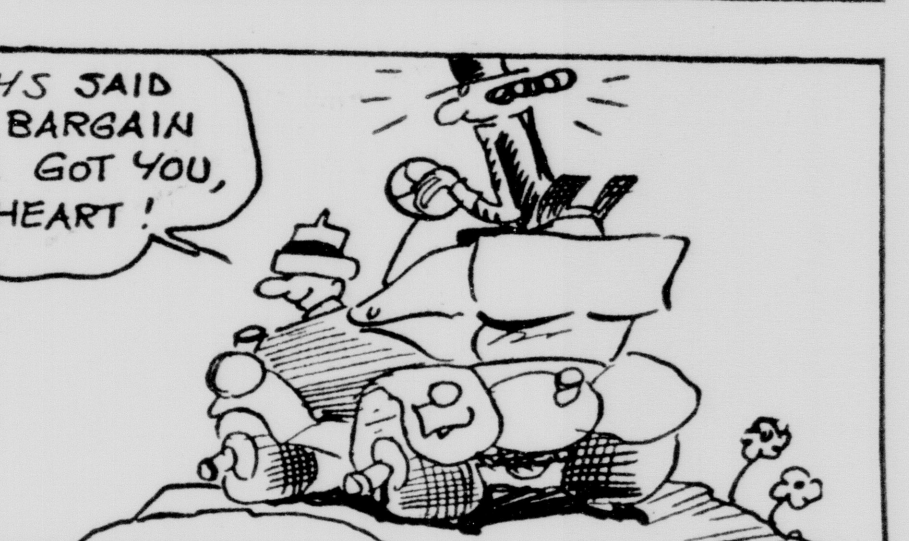
by A.E. Hayward

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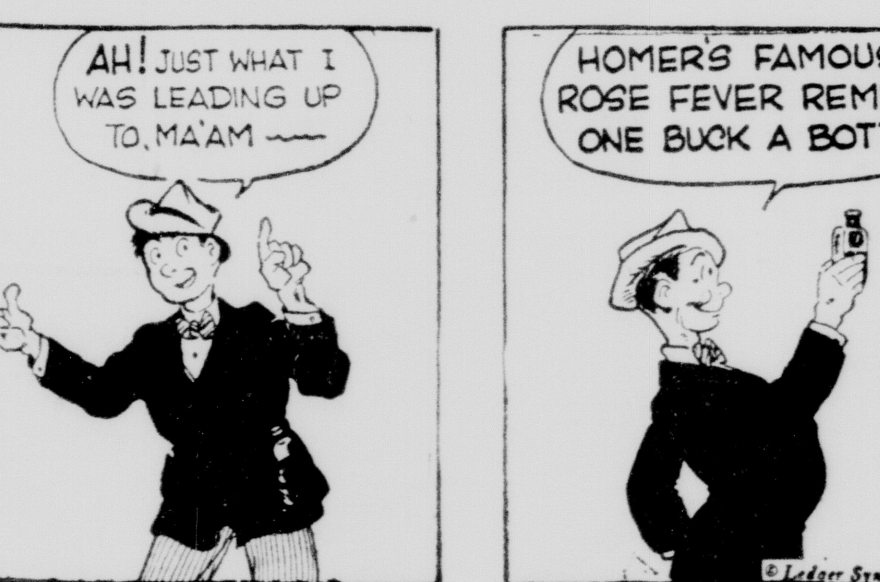


# The Back-Seat Driver

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# High-Gear Homer





The Cold Shivers

VIGNETTES OF LIFE  
By J. NORMAN LYND  
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IT'S ENOUGH TO GIVE ONE THE SHIVERS TO SEE SOME PEOPLE EAT... ONE MINUTE YOU'RE SURE THEY'RE GOING TO CUT THEIR THROATS... AND THE NEXT YOU SINCERELY HOPE SO.



THE LIVING SKELETON!

SNAKE CHARMER



SOME PEOPLE GET A FIT OF THE COLD SHIVERS IF THERE'S A SNAKE WITHIN A MILE OF THEM



WE DON'T LIKE STRANGE DOGS—AND THEY KNOW IT. ... THEY JUST SEEM TO ENJOY HEARING OUR BONES RATTLE.



WE ALWAYS GET THE SHIVERS WHEN THE TRAFFIC COP PUSHES HIS UGLY MUG INTO THE CAR. AND SAYS—IN THE MOST POLITE STYLE HE KNOWS, "HEY! WHO DYE THINK YOU ARE? HUH?"



IF 'THE LITTLE WOMAN' DECIDES TO SHARE ALL YOUR INTERESTS—EVEN FISHING—GIVE HER A CAN OF WORMS AND LET HER START AT THE BOTTOM—LET HER SQUEAL—LET HER GET THE COLD SHIVERS—MAYBE IT WILL CURE HER.



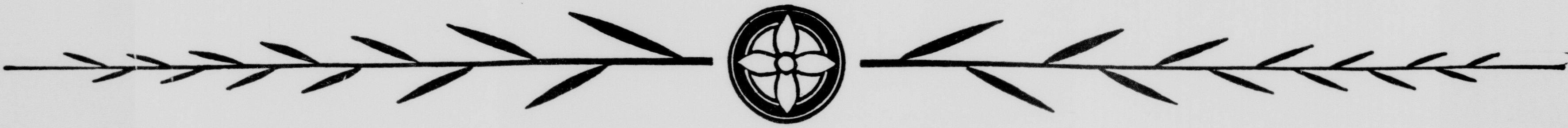
THESE COLD-BATH-EVERY-MORNING-WINTER-AND-SUMMER LADS GIVE US THE SHIVERS—AND OTHER PAINS.



THE CHEERIEST PEOPLE WE KNOW ARE DENTISTS—THEY DON'T CARE HOW MUCH YOU SHIVER AND SHAKE... THERE'S NO GIVE—THE CHAIR IS BOLTED TO THE FLOOR.

NORMAN LYND.

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# Connie by FRANK GODWIN

DR. CHRONO HAS FLOWN WITH CONNIE, JACK AND NAKI TO A LONELY PART OF NORTHERN ALASKA, NARROWLY ESCAPING DEATH WHEN THE MAD PROF. BORGG DESTROYED A MOUNTAIN WITH THE STOLEN COSMIC ACCUMULATOR—

WHAT DO WE DO NEXT, DOCTOR?—WE MUST BE NEAR PROF. BORGG'S LABORATORY—CAN WE REACH HIM FROM HERE ON FOOT?

YES, WE MUST BE NEAR—BUT HIS EXACT LOCATION MAY BE IN ANY DIRECTION FROM HERE—

NAKI FIND FOOTPRINT—HIM LEAD FROM HERE TO FOOT OF MOUNTAIN—

GOOD WORK, NAKI—THAT'S WHAT WE HOPED FOR—

MEANWHILE, IN HIS UNDERGROUND QUARTERS, THE MAD PROF. BORGG PREPARES TO USE DR. CHRONO'S COSMIC ACCUMULATOR TO THROW THE EARTH OFF ITS AXIAL ROTATION AND MAKE THE POLAR REGIONS A TEMPERATE ZONE—

IN 5 MINUTES THE EARTH WILL BE AT THE EXACT POSITION FOR ME TO TURN LOOSE ALL THE ACCUMULATED COSMIC POWER—I WILL BE THE RICHEST MAN IN THE WORLD—

IT WAS A GRAND IDEA, BRINGING NAKI—HE HAS THE SHARP EYES OF AN INDIAN—

YEAH—HE'S A GREAT LITTLE GUY—

FOOTPRINTS LEAD TO HOLE IN MOUNTAIN—

QUICK, MASTER!—FOUR PEOPLE COME! FOLLOW TRACKS OF FEET IN SNOW—

WHAT?—GET THAT MACHINE GUN READY QUICK!—WE MUST NOT BE STOPPED NOW—

AGAIN IN BORGG'S LABORATORY—

IT'S CHRONO!—THIS IS MY OPPORTUNITY!—WATCH FOR THE CLOCK TO REACH THE RED MARK—THEN CLOSE THE SWITCH—

YES, MASTER—THE CLOCK REACH RED MARK IN ONE MINUTE—

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK

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## Wonder-Land

THIS IS A PICTURE OF THE STOLEN COSMIC ACCUMULATOR INVENTED BY DR. CHRONO, AND WHICH WAS STOLEN BY THE MAD SCIENTIST, PROF. BORGG—

CONDENSERS FOR STORING COSMIC ENERGY—

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## Timely News From Central Missouri Towns

## Otterville Items

(By Mrs. T. R. Cranmer)  
Rev. Wm. Sampson and H. Roger Starke motored to Kansas City Tuesday. Mrs. Starke who has been at Research hospital for medical treatment returned home improved. Her nurse, Miss Elinor Rene Hart returned with her.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Clark and son and Miss Vivian Hogan of Booneville were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Less Hogan. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Favorite of Warrensburg were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Spillers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gunn were in St. Louis Tuesday and Wednesday where Mr. Gunn attended the State Bankers convention. Miss Vera Allison of Syracuse was a guest Sunday and Sunday night of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cline and family west of town.

N. A. Smith left Friday morning for St. Louis where he will visit his son, Shields Smith. Walter Anthony and E. S. Shoemaker attended the commencement exercises at Syracuse Thursday evening. Mr. Shoemaker's grandson and granddaughter, Roy Johnson and Miss Gussie Lee Johnson were members of the class. Roy Johnson was valedictorian of the class.

Miss Bertha Strickfadden returned to her home northeast of town from Pilot Grove where she has been teaching. She has been re-elected for the coming year in the high school there which will make 11 years in the faculty.

H. C. Greer and sister, Miss Jean Greer of Clarkburg were the guests Thursday of his son, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Greer.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bush and family of Carthage were guests of his sister, Mrs. D. B. Mayfield and husband Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bishop and son of Turpin, Okla., came the first of the week for a vacation visit with relatives here.

Mrs. A. N. Howlett had as guests Sunday, Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Howlett and family of Richland; Mrs. Helen Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Leslie of Slater.

A. G. Hansberger entertained at his country home Wednesday evening the following guests: Rev. and Mrs. L. M. Licklider and son of Sedalia; Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Sampson, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Harlan, Mrs. Mary Watts, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Layne, Mr. and Mrs. Vest Street and son, Frank Briggs of Clifton City; Miss Genell Griffin of Smithton. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and strawberries were served.

Mrs. Charles Leach returned from Elston Monday where she was called by the illness of his sister.

Mrs. Carolyn Reavis of Clarkburg visited the first of the week with her son, W. R. Reavis. While here she attended the eighth grade commencement of which her grandson, William Roy, was a member.

Miss Lucile Wear, teacher at Tipton spent last Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Geo. Wear, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Greer, Miss Mary Smith of Smithton and Earl Hopkins of Columbia spent last Sunday in Kansas City sightseeing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Burford and daughter, Frances Jean were Sunday guests of her sister, Mrs. Henry Cassing. Her mother, Mrs. Ida Gentry accompanied them home after a month's visit in Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Edwin Wherley entertained last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Orvis Chatterton and Miss Ellen Haggard of Sedalia.

Mrs. Ed Freize returned to her home in Kansas City Sunday after spending last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Shultz. Mr. Shultz who is critically ill shows no improvement. His sister, Mrs. L. S. Sellers of Gallatin was also with her brother the past week.

Miss Zella Owens of Kansas City is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Mary Gorman and daughter, Mrs. Lewis Zumsteg and family south of town.

Mrs. Kenneth Jenkins and family of Kansas City were Sunday guests of Miss Margaret Jenkins and brother, Jas. Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Phillips of New Franklin were guests Thursday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brisley.

Mrs. Jas. A. Fry visited the first of the week in Sedalia as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson and Mrs. S. L. Laws. On Wednesday they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Berry Laws at Booneville.

Oliver Gochoenour left Sunday for Kansas City where he has employment.

Miss Edith Berry of Jefferson City spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Berry east of town. Other guests in the Berry home were Mr. and Mrs. John P. Dunham and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Edwards and son, Bobby Joe of Sedalia.

A. N. Smith and J. S. Bane were Sunday guests of Mr. Smith's daughter, Mrs. R. E. Ellis and family near Beaman.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Bishop entertained Wednesday evening in honor of their daughter, Nancy Ellen's 9th birthday. The table was decorated in pink and white. A May pole centered the table with streamers to each place. The birthday cake with nine candles was also the center of attraction. Those present on this occasion were her classmates and teacher, Miss Alma Case, Bonnie Jean Hopkins, Betty Lou Bishop, Nadine Bane, Billy Schilb, J. W. Howard, Glenn Bottom, Kenneth Romig and Richard Mills. Games were played throughout the evening, the prizes going to Miss Alma Case and Kenneth Romig. Re-

freshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Miss Grace Rowles of Windsor spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rowles. Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Craig and daughter, Miss Naomi left Friday for Springfield where they will visit relatives Friday and Saturday.

Emmett Parsons of Marshall spent Friday afternoon with his father, W. S. Parsons who has been confined to his home on account of illness.

George Nunn and Miss Katherine Brunner were married December 31, 1936 at 3:30 o'clock p. m. at Jacksonville, Ill. by Rev. Morgan Williams, pastor of the First M. E. church of Jacksonville.

The wedding was announced last week. Miss Brunner is the daughter of Mrs. John Brunner of Marceline, Mo. She is a graduate of the State Teachers college at Kirksville.

Mr. Nunn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nunn, north of Otterville. He is a graduate of the Otterville high school class of '34, also a graduate of the State Teachers college at Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Nunn are both teachers in the school at Marceline, this being Mr. Nunn's second year in the junior high school as mathematics instructor.

## Lincoln Items

(By Mae Messersmith)

Miss Pavey Perryman of Lake Ozark and Carl Wilson of Kaiser visited here Saturday with Mr. Wilson's mother, Mrs. G. M. Jones and Mr. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Lumpe of Carrollton, Mo., spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lumpe. Mr. Lumpe is manager of the Safeway store at Carrollton and was on his vacation.

John Langston, Jr., who is a member of a CCC camp at California, Mo., came home last Saturday morning for a week's visit with his parents. He had been in a hospital in Leavenworth just previous to his coming home, suffering from an injury received in camp.

Miss Desbia Roark returned last Wednesday to her home at Cable Ridge following a visit here with Mrs. Nettie Roark and others. Mrs. Roark and son Lester accompanied her home and visited until Friday.

Miss Mary Lucille Stober of Smithton spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stober.

Mrs. J. O. Love returned home last Thursday from a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hoarde, south of Warsaw.

A dinner celebrating the birthdays of Mrs. W. C. Wear which was May 8, and C. H. Carpenter on May 10, was given Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Carpenter. Guests enjoying the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Nixon, Robert Nixon and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Nixon, all of Ionia; Mrs. Willard L. Nixon of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Leo A. Hare and three sons, James Robert, Charles Clayton and Kenneth Leo, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wear, Betty Rue Salley, Anna Marie Swearingin, Glenn Dell Carpenter.

A birthday celebration was held here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer in honor of Mrs. Palmer's 81st birthday and L. P. Tucker's 56th birthday. Guests

present were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Cline, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Palmer and family and Leon Tucker and son, all of Sedalia; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tucker and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Tucker and sons, all of Green Ridge; C. A. Palmer and daughter Monnie of Cross Timbers, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Neil and son of Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Tucker and children, Mrs. Josephine Mabry and Miss Lillian Tucker, all of Cole Camp; Mrs. Alice Attwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Attwood and two daughters, Mary Avera and Doris Jean, Mrs. Mary Wenig and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Carrico and son and Harve Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kolb and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Fischer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kreissler and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goosen and family were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fischer northwest of town.

Misses Edna and Marie Lumpe, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Le Van and Miss Marie Eckhoff, all of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lumpe and daughter of Cole Camp, Will and John Krohn of Ionia and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams and family were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Will Lumpe east of town. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lumpe were afternoon callers.

Mrs. Sophia Knobl had as her guests Sunday afternoon her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Kreissler and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Gerken and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Mehrens and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gerken and son Robert, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Heermann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Gerken and family. Other guests were Mrs. Sophia Wischmeier and daughter, Paula, Mr. and Mrs. Louise Mehrens and Mrs. J. R. Pogue and sons. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wisdom, Sr., Mrs. H. A. Redman of Harrisonville and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wisdom of Green Ridge went to St. Louis Sunday for a visit with their daughter and sister, Guy E. Neas and Mr. Neas. The Messers Wisdom also attended the Missouri Bankers Association which met in that city and at one session of which C. A. Wisdom was elected president.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hare and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hare and three sons, James Robert, Charles Clayton and Kenneth Leo, drove to Waynesville last Thursday where they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hughes.

Miss Vivian Neas of Foster came last Friday afternoon and spent the last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Neas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McCandless and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Love and daughter Addie Frances went to Pleasant Hill Sunday where they visited Mrs. McCandless' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Phillips and Mr. Love's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Hammond.

G. C. Messersmith and sister spent Sunday in Sedalia in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Williams and enjoyed a fish dinner. Others who enjoyed the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. J. Victor Williams of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Williams of Columbia, Joe Toier, Mrs. Mae Williams Kirby, Misses Lucile Carl and Helen Williams, all of Sedalia.

Lynn Carson Courtney and grandmother, Mrs. T. P. Courtney, both of Kansas City, were guests Sunday.

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## Ionia Items

(By Mrs. Homer Howe)

Mr. and Mrs. Will Masters of Lansing, Mich., Mrs. Minta Maltzberger of Meta, visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Williams. Mrs. Masters and Mrs. Maltzberger are sisters of Mrs. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Stockton had as guests on Mother's Day, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Stockton, J. Louis and Mrs. and Mrs. Elwin Stockton and son, Jimmy, of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Meyers and daughter, Dorothy visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. Myer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas of Windsor.

Mrs. Vernon Moss who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood returned Friday to her home in Springfield.

Mrs. May Drennon of Kansas City visited Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Belle Lacey. On Sunday additional guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ward Lacey and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Drennon and daughter, Billy of Kansas City, Monday.

Mrs. May Drennon departed for her home in Pasadena, Calif.

The vacation church school opened at the Methodist church Monday with 35 children enrolled. The instructors are: Juniors—Mrs. M. L. Nixon and Mrs. C. W. Saye; Primaries—Miss Wilma Posson and Mrs. Homer Howe; Beginners—Mrs. Rufus Ransdell and Mrs. Elmo Kreissler.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kelley of Windsor visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Leeders had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Leeborg, Mrs. Clara Rhodes and son and Nowell Leeders of Warsaw.

Alice Anne Mahnen visited Friday with Marietta Kelb.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Ransdell and daughter, Wilma Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kelb and children, Marietta and Lloyd were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Taylor and Geraldine Rencou visited Sunday with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Rencou of Warsaw.

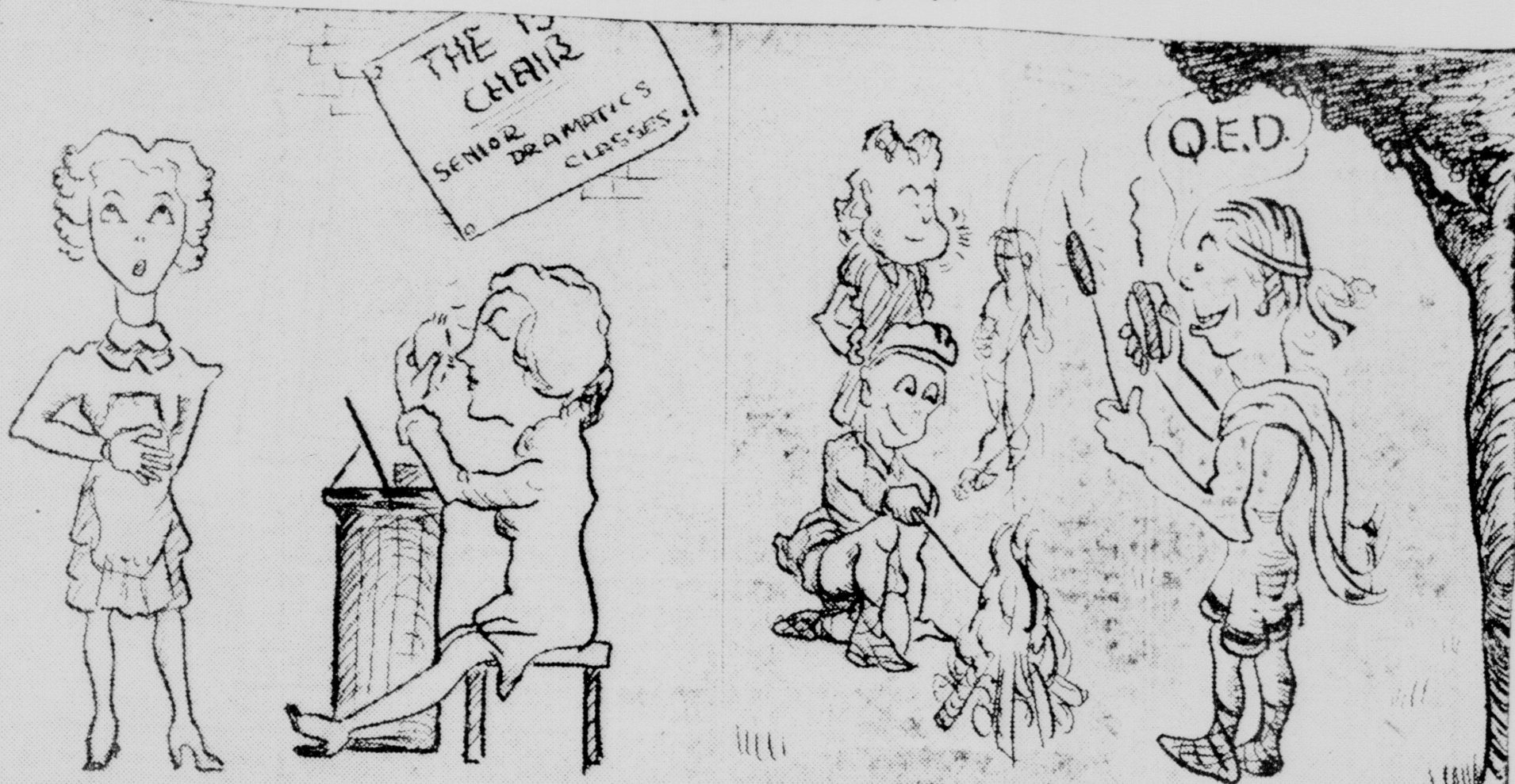
Miss Pauline Reed visited from Friday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Reed of Windsor.

Mrs. Myrtle Samson and daughter, Dorothy Lee and Virgil Rencou of Windsor were overnight guests Sunday of their sister, Mrs. L. W. Taylor and Mr. Taylor.

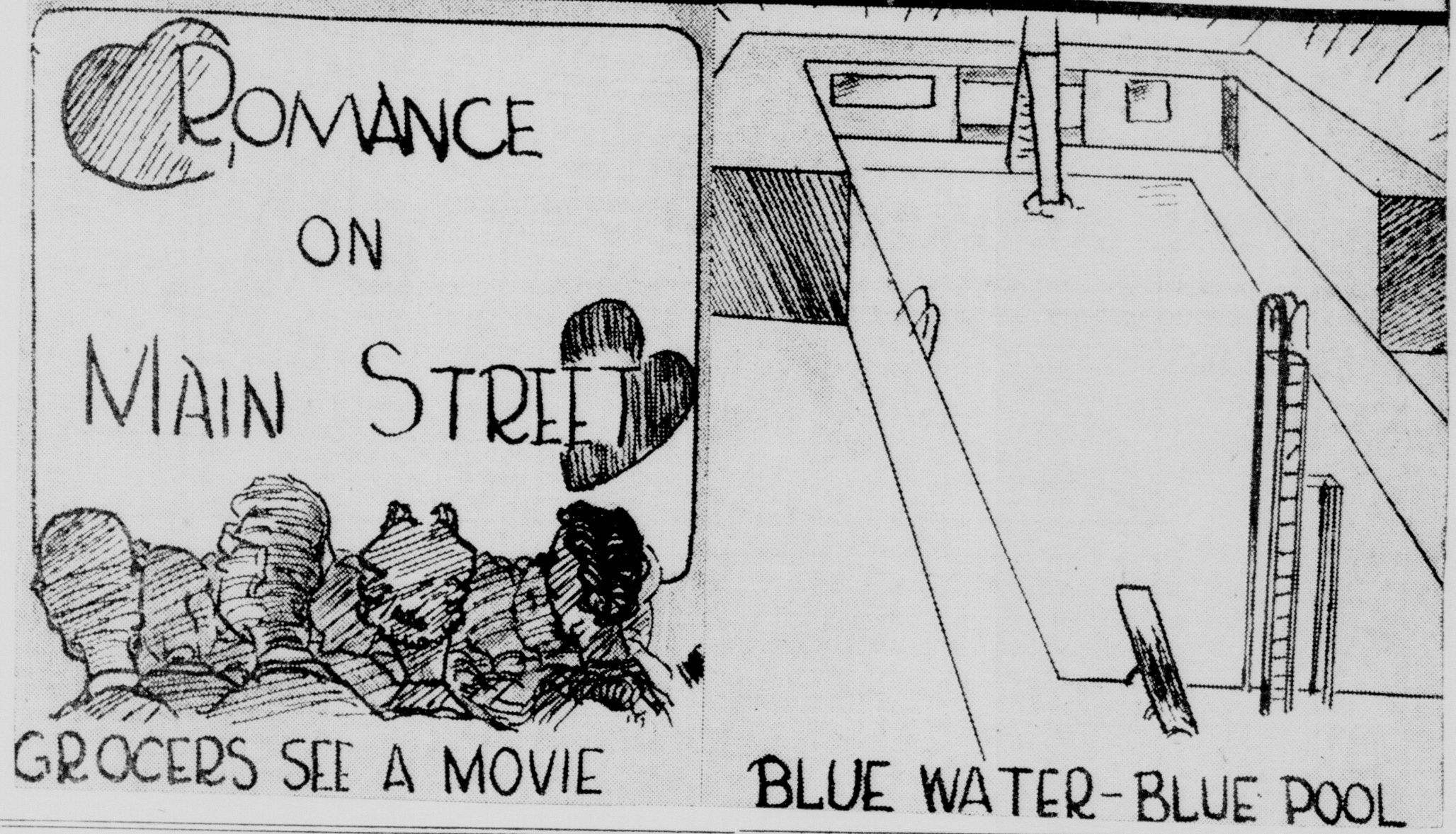
Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Nixon and daughter, Camilla of Kansas

## HIGH SPOTS IN THE NEWS OF THE WEEK

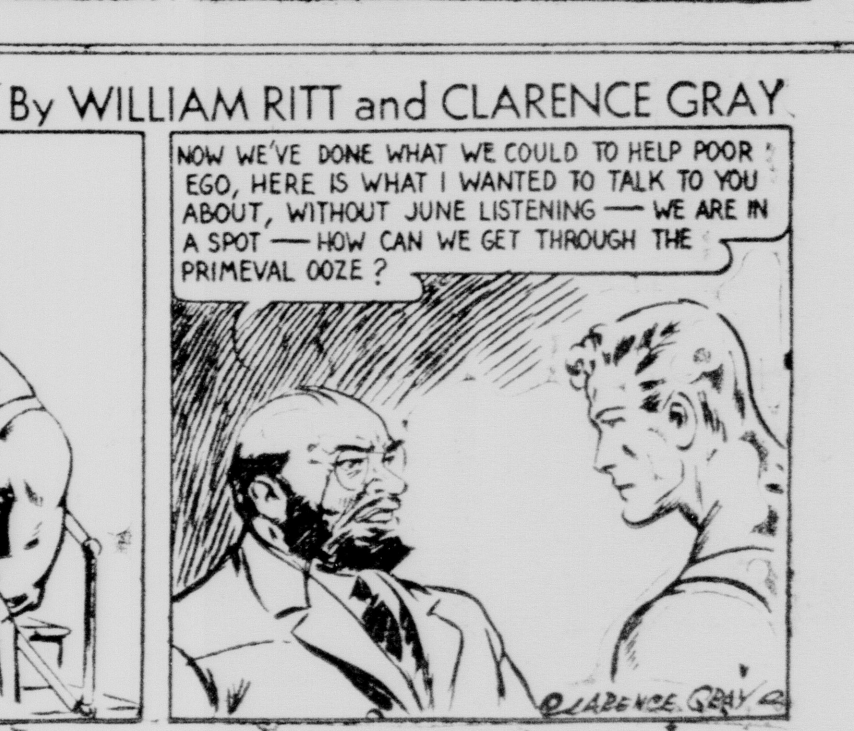
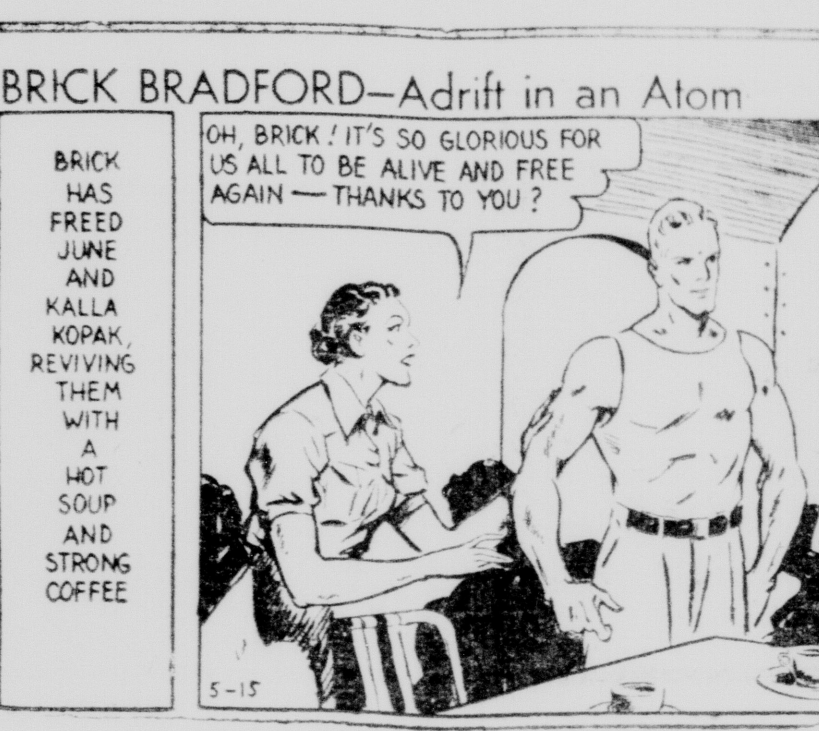
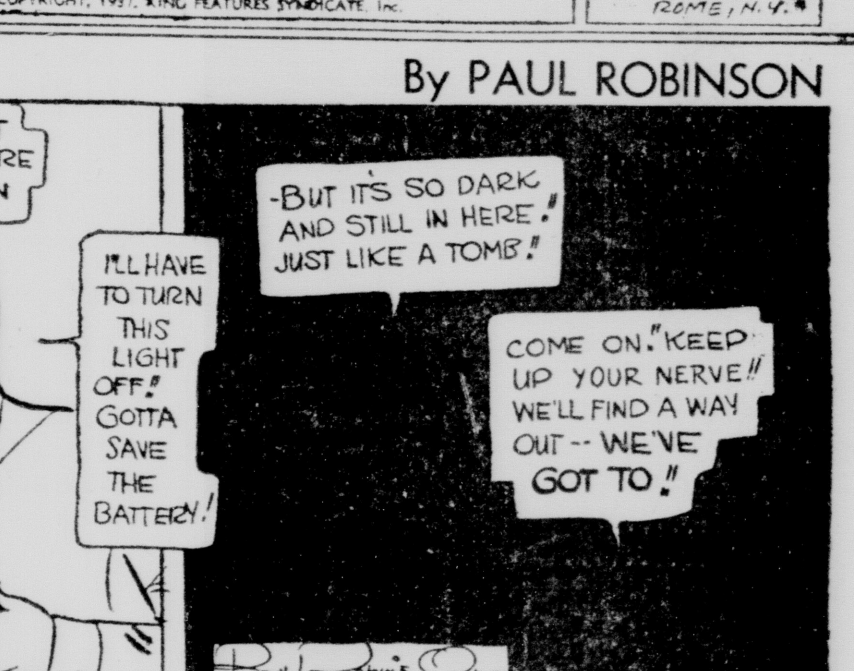
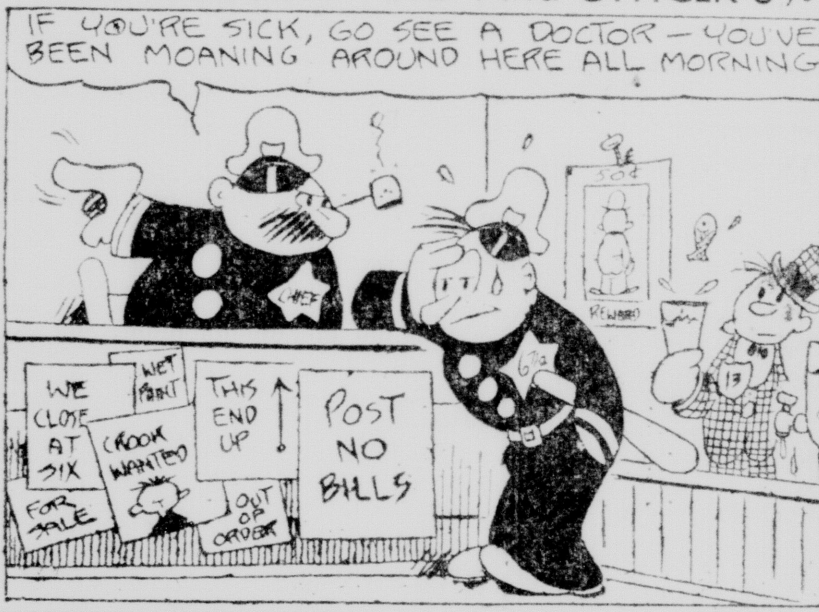
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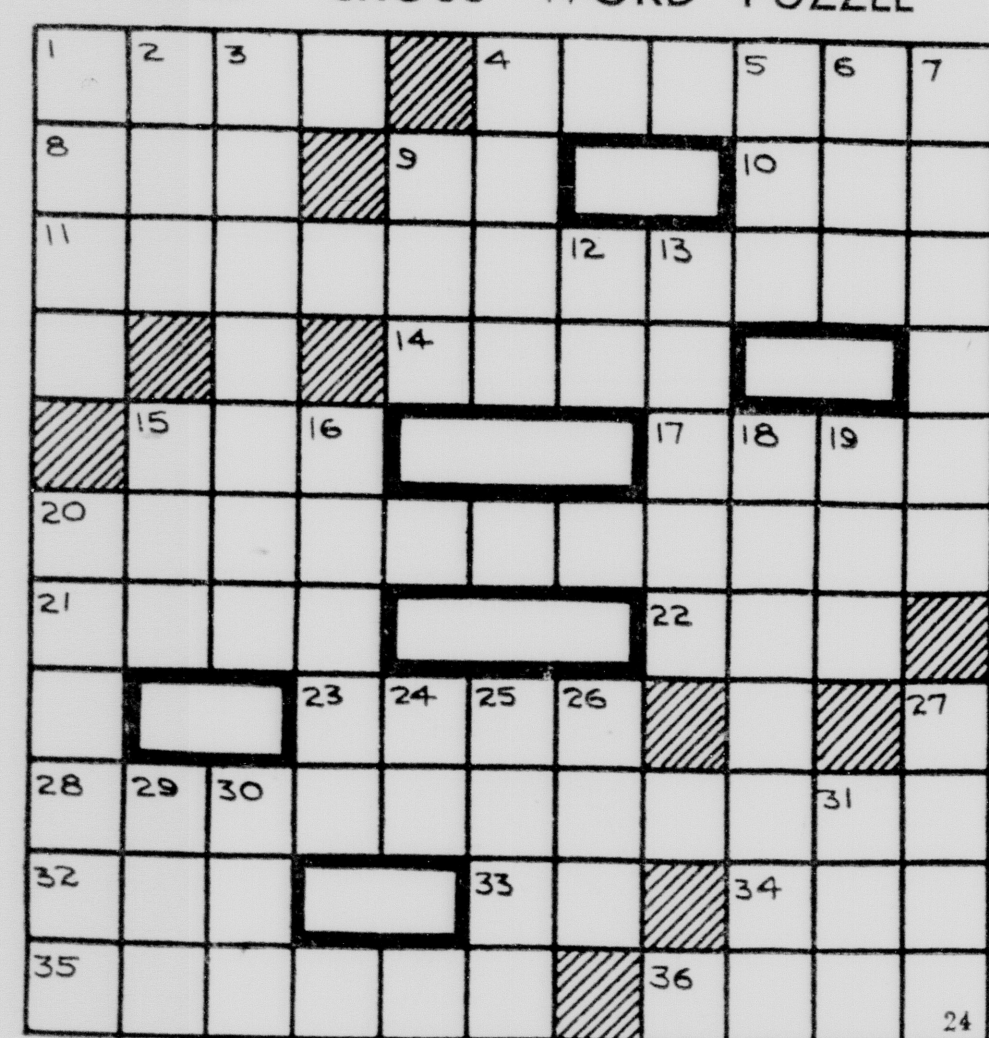
## ANNUAL SENIOR PLAY AT H.S. WEINER ROAST BY H.S. LATIN CLUB



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- 1—An agreement (abbr.)
  - 2—Peruse
  - 3—Eating or living on flesh
  - 4—Capital of the Bahamas
  - 5—Gone by
  - 6—A river of Livonia
  - 7—Feminine name
  - 8—Radiating
  - 9—A slighting intimation
  - 10—Vegetable
  - 11—Proffers
  - 12—A stone coffin
  - 13—To—formal form
  - 14—North by northeast
  - 15—Moccasins worn by woodsmen
  - 16—Grow old
  - 17—Change
  - 18—A claw
  - 19—Bend in the middle
  - 20—China
  - 21—Pertaining to a city
  - 22—A dish
  - 23—A fruit of the oak
  - 24—Pertaining to fire
  - 25—Sufficient
  - 26—Aid
  - 27—East Indies (abbr.)
  - 28—A river in
  - 29—England
  - 30—Hound
  - 31—The enjoyment of a right
  - 32—Exclamation of mockery
  - 33—Steal
  - 34—The eye (Egyptian symbolism)
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## CATTLE & GRAIN MARKETS

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, May 15.—(AP)—U. S. Department of Agriculture—Hogs—Receipts 2,000, including 1,800 direct; today's market nominally steady; compared with a week ago 50 to 65 cents higher; week's top \$11.00.

Cattle—Receipts 100; calves 100; today's market nominal; compared with Friday last week: Good and choice fed steers and yearlings 50 cents higher, as much as \$1.00 over last week's low time; common and medium grades 25 cents higher; fed and grassy heifers 25 cents higher; beef cows steady; grassy cutters weak to 25 cents lower; bulls 50 cents off and vealers 75 cents 15¢ down; week's top 1.25; steers \$7.75 to \$12.50.

Sheep—Receipts 5,000, all direct; today's market nominal; compared with Friday last week: Fat lambs 25 to 50 cents higher; spring lambs 50 to 75 cents; spots \$1.00 up; sheep steady; week's extreme top native spring lambs \$13.50.

WHEAT HIGHER ON BOARD OF TRADE

By FRANKLIN MULLIN

Associated Press Market Writer

CHICAGO, May 15.—Unfavorable crop

advice, particularly from Canada, and a strengthening wheat export situation helped bring out buying that lifted wheat prices as much as 2½ cents a bushel today.

The market was strong most of the session, continuing the recovery which began Friday. There was little selling pressure. Traders said the market apparently was well liquidated during the recent decline and that part of the buying was short covering.

Other grains rose with wheat. May rye advanced 3½ cents at one stage, stimulated by export sales of 100,000 bushels to Norway and 250,000 to Germany, representing deliveries on contracts here. There was talk of further similar business.

Wheat closed 1 to 2½ cents higher compared with Friday's finish. May \$1.23½ to \$1.26, July \$1.18 to \$1.19½, September \$1.16½ to \$1.18½, corn was ½ to 3 cents up, May new \$1.30½, July new \$1.17½ to \$1.17½, September \$1.09½ to \$1.09½, oats were unchanged to 1½ cents higher, May 50½, and rye gained ¾ to 1½ cents, May \$1.12. Provisions advanced 17 to 23 cents.

Wheat rose soon after the opening to \$1.25½ for May, reached slightly, steadied and then pushed up to \$1.26½ for May just before the close. From this

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Kansas City Grain Table

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High Low Close

WHEAT—

May \$1.24½ \$1.22½ \$1.23½

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BARLEY—

May \$1.75 \$1.75 \$1.75

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prior to generous precipitation might result in serious damage.

Short coverings that appeared in May corn lifted the contract to \$1.31½ at one stage, up almost 2 cents, but buying was tempered by receipts of 100,000 bushels of Argentine corn in Chicago. Cash corn prices were 1 to 2 cents higher. Oats was higher with corn.

Lard market gains were associated with advances in corn and the sharp upturn this week, together with estimates that receipts would reach only 35,000 head here next week and the possibility of a decrease in local lard stocks the first half of the month.

Trading is slow

IN STOCK MARKET

By FREDERICK GARDNER

NEW YORK, May 15.—(AP)—The going was slow and a trifle rough in today's stock market although some industrial and rail gains moderated.

Stimulus seemed to have faded from the trade in the Jones and Laughlin and General Motors strikes. Current business news was still cheering so far as it went, but talk of a summer set-back was again heard in analytical quarters.

Rails swung up at the start but the majority yielded much of their gains in final dealings. Steels, motors, utilities and tobacco were backward throughout.

Transfers of 343,560 shares compared with 285,350 last Saturday. With the exception of the latter date it was the smallest turnover since June of last year. The Associated Press average of 60 stocks ended with an advance of 2 of a point at 66.3.

There was nothing particularly disheartening for either the automotive or steel groups but they failed to attract much buying attention. Prospects of a new governmental power program kept utilities subdued.

Shares of Homestake Mining got up 5 points at 32. Up fractions to 1 or 2 were Southern Railway at 24½, Pennsylvania 42, Union Pacific 14½, Southern Pacific 56½, Northern Pacific 33½, Baltimore and Ohio 32½, Kennecott 54, International Nickel 59.

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On the downside were U. S. Steel at 55, General Motors 55, Chrysler 109, American Telephone 154, Deere 126, Firestone 31½, Du Pont 154, Consolidated Edison 35½, Cero De Pasco 62, Douglas Aircraft 49½ and Western Union 54½. American Tobacco "B" and Reynolds "B" were down to new lows for the year.

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Local Time Table

(Effective December 20, 1936)

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No. 20—Leave..... 1:50 a.m.

No. 10—Leave..... 2:40 a.m.

No. 12—Leave..... 10:30 a.m.

No. 16—Leave..... 3:49 p.m.

No. 14—Leave..... 7:00 p.m.

West Bound—Main Line

No. 9—Leave..... 4:20 a.m.

No. 5—Leave..... 12:38 p.m.

No. 15—Leave..... 1:30 p.m.

No. 13—Leave..... 9:20 p.m.

No. 11—Leave..... 7:00 p.m.

Lexington Branch

No. 655—Daily ex. Sun. lv. 5:10 a.m.

No. 656—Daily ex. Sun. ar. 2:00 p.m.

Warsaw Branch

No. 657—Daily ex. Sun. lv. 5:30 a.m.

No. 658—Daily ex. Sun. ar. 12:30 p.m.

MISSOURI PACIFIC BUS LINES

East Bound

No. 8—Leave..... 3:25 p.m.

No. 10—Leave..... 6:30 p.m.

No. 6—Leave..... 11:10 a.m.

No. 112—Leave..... 2:45 a.m.

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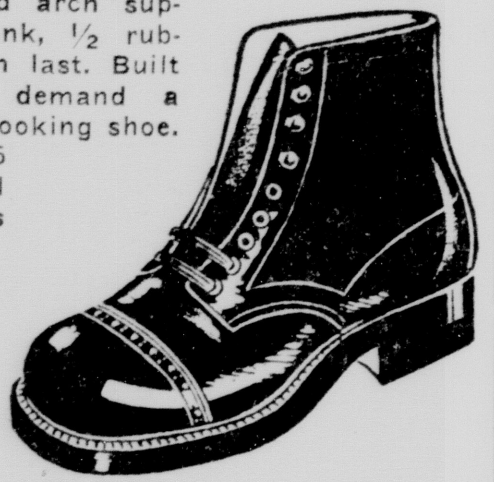
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## PROCLAMATION ON AIR MAIL WEEK

Governor Lloyd Stark has issued a proclamation designating May 21 to 28 as Missouri Air Mail Week, commemorating Lindbergh's memorable trans-Atlantic flight from New York to Paris in May, 1927.

The first regular air mail route was established on May 15, 1918, between New York and Washington, starting from New York at 11:30 p. m. and from Washington a few minutes later. Transcontinental air mail from New York to San Francisco was begun September 8, 1920, and was relayed, flying by day and transferred to train at night. Since that time air mail has developed with fast planes covering our entire country and carrying millions of pieces of mail to the people of the far corners of the United States, as well as many foreign countries.

Millions of letters and other mail are transported from Kansas City and St. Louis by fast planes, three times as fast as ordinary mail, and just 3 cents more an ounce than the regular first-class mail, to all the principal cities of the United States or Canada. The Atlantic and Pacific coasts are reached over night, and the time saved to distant points is measured in days not hours.

Postmaster Edward P. Mullaney says there has been a gradual increase in air mail at the local post office, each year being much heavier than the preceding one, showing that the service is satisfactory and appreciated by the public. Information can be obtained as to dispatch of this class of mail from the local office.

## MAY PROGRAM FOR ECONOMICS CLUB

The Oak Grove Home Economics Extension Club met with Mrs. Charles Mawhorter Thursday afternoon. A large crowd was present. Roll call was answered by each member present naming the kind of shoe that gave them the most comfort.

A splendid report was given by Miss Myrtle Mewes on the project for the month; this being—points to consider in the buying of hose and coats. An interesting piece was read by Mrs. Jewel Nave on origin of May Day and May Poles and how May festivals are observed in different countries. She also told of the thrill she experienced when she found a May basket filled with flowers hanging on her mother's front door knob this year.

Mrs. Emil Lange read an interesting piece on Mother's Day. She told in part how it was first suggested in 1907 by Miss Anna Jarvis of Philadelphia and in 1914 congress authorized the President of the United States to set aside by annual proclamation the second Sunday in May as Mother's Day.

A sextette, composed of Misses Myrtle Mewes, Ruth Needy, Mary Childress, Mesdames Chas. Mawhorter, Glen Warren, Cliff Mawhorter, sang two songs in honor of Mother. The piano accompaniment was played by Mrs. Le Roy Hodges.

A paper on Memorial Day was read by Mrs. Gus Romig. In the northern states all universally observe May 30 as Memorial Day, but the southern states observe different days. April 26 is appointed as Memorial Day in Alabama, Florida, Georgia and Mississippi; in North and South Carolina the day set apart is May 10. The second Friday in May is observed in Tennessee.

Mrs. Claire Montgomery checked on how they were progressing in their various lines of work. Regarding wild flower identification, Miss Ruth Needy has the largest collection of wild flowers of any Oak Grove member at the present time.

Owing to sickness the game leader was absent. The president, Mrs. Roy Pettit had arranged a flower contest. The questions being written on yellow cards the shape of May baskets.

During the social hour, Mrs. Chas. Mawhorter served refreshments.

## DR. C. S. MCGINNIS DIES AT PARSONS

The club members had as their guests the hostess' mother, Mrs. Eliza Burford, also her sister-in-law, Mrs. Phil Burford.

PARSONS, Kas., May 15.—(AP)—Dr. C. S. McGinnis, 59, died late Friday a few hours after announcement of his resignation as superintendent of the state hospital for epileptics here, a post he had held since 1923.

Dr. McGinnis had resigned effective June 1 because of ill health, and Dr. J. T. Naramore, assistant superintendent and acting head of the institution for six months, had been named to succeed him.

A graduate of Washington university medical school in St. Louis, Dr. McGinnis practiced for two years and then went to the Katy railroad hospital at Sedalia. He came from that post to his position as superintendent here. Dr. McGinnis was a major in the medical corps during the World War.

Surviving are his widow, one daughter, Elizabeth, of the home, and a brother, C. Q. McGinnis, Los Angeles.

## CLOSING FOR OTTERVILLE SCHOOL

The past week was crowded with the closing activities of the Otterville consolidated school. The eighth grade commencement exercises on Tuesday evening to a class of twenty-two from central school and four from Brick school of which Miss Lula Homan is a teacher with Esther J. Straten, valedictorian and Esther Broderson salutatorian, on Thursday evening was the high school commencement with a class of twenty-two. Eugene Sanders, valedictorian and Miss Emma Lucile Lepper, salutatorian. Dr. W. I. Ferguson gave the class address. Friday morning was class day.

The different classes have had their usual niceties the past few days.

Miss Marjory Nichols of the music department left Saturday for her home at Kansas City. F. H. Thornhill of the commerce department left Saturday for his home at Springfield.

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## SOIL DISCUSSION RE HELD MAY 25

Pettis Countians will have an opportunity to see and hear a discussion on the soils and crops experiments which are being conducted at the Green Ridge experimental farm at a meeting which is to be held Tuesday morning, May 25, starting at 10 a. m. Extension specialists and men from the resident department in soils and crops from the college of agriculture will be at this meeting to discuss the various experiments with those attending. The various fields on the experimental farm which will be visited will show the experiment work with barley, wheat, rye, oats, legumes, and pastures under different soil treatments and other conditions.

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**8:30 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.**

Week Days

Open Until 9 p. m. Saturdays

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**PENNEY'S**  
J. C. PENNEY COMPANY, Incorporated

3rd and Ohio

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## Anticipating Wishes

Years of experience and a sincere interest in the problems of each patron enable the McLaughlin Bros. organization to anticipate many of the family's wishes and needs before they are expressed.

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## SPECIAL THIS WEEK!

**Queen Mary Bowl**

while they last! **18c**

Honestly this bowl is beautiful. Clear, white, color-free glass. Suitable for all fruits and salads. Undecorated, save for pleated, light reflecting sides. You ought to see it. The price is surprisingly low for a bowl of this size when you want your table to look its best. LIMIT 2 TO A CUSTOMER

**SPORTING GOODS HEADQUARTERS**

**69c** BICYCLE LAMP

Worries on one flash light bulb. Throws a powerful yellow light. Streamlined design. Slide switch. Without battery.

**\$1.39** BICYCLE REEL

Has heavy rubber tire. Wind on and ride. Push on and ride. No need for pedals. Adjustable. Overcast. (Bicycle Reel type)

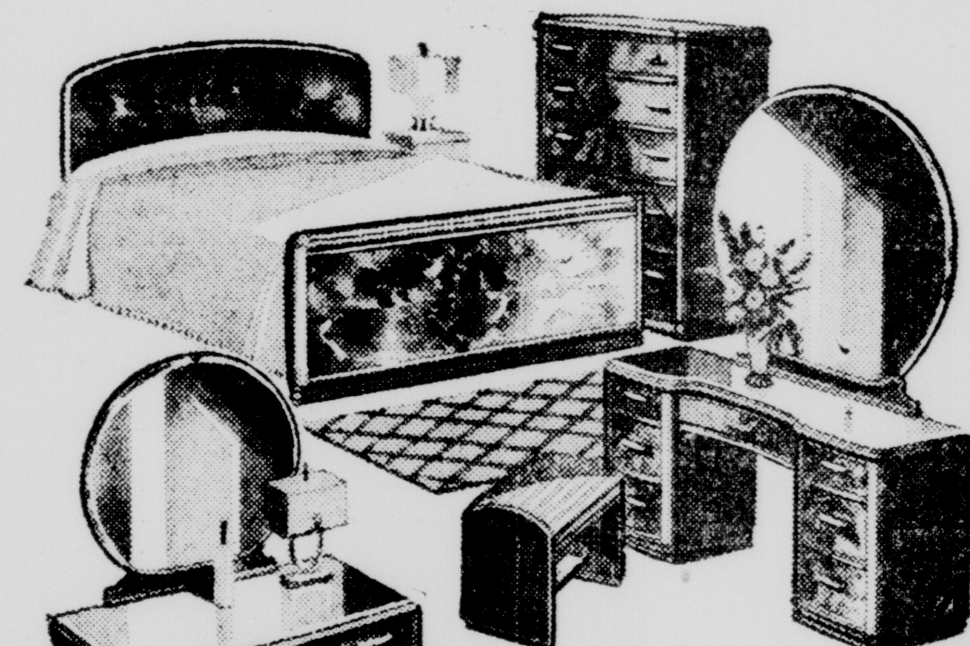
**75c** FISHING REEL

A big 80 ft. capacity. Free. Model in gold, silver, and black. Adjustable. Strong for fishing. (See Catalogue Book)

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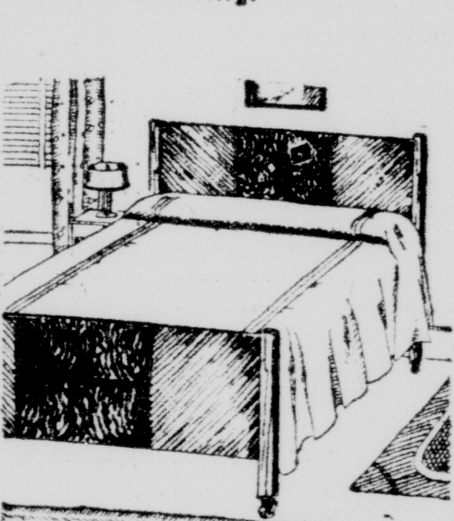
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## MAY SPECIALS FOR THE HOME



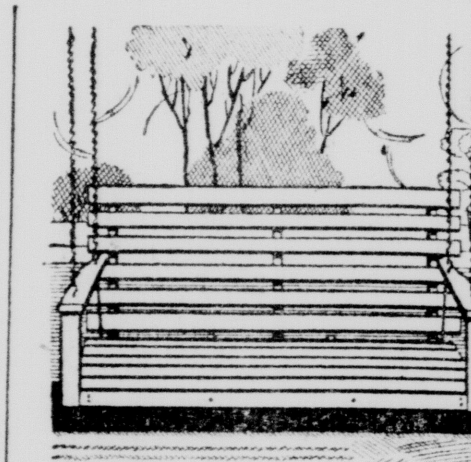
**Modern Bed Room Suites**  
3 PCS.

Suites very similar to one illustrated—beautiful matching walnut veneers and fine hardware—lots of drawer space—large plate mirror. But one of the many we are showing. **\$79.50**



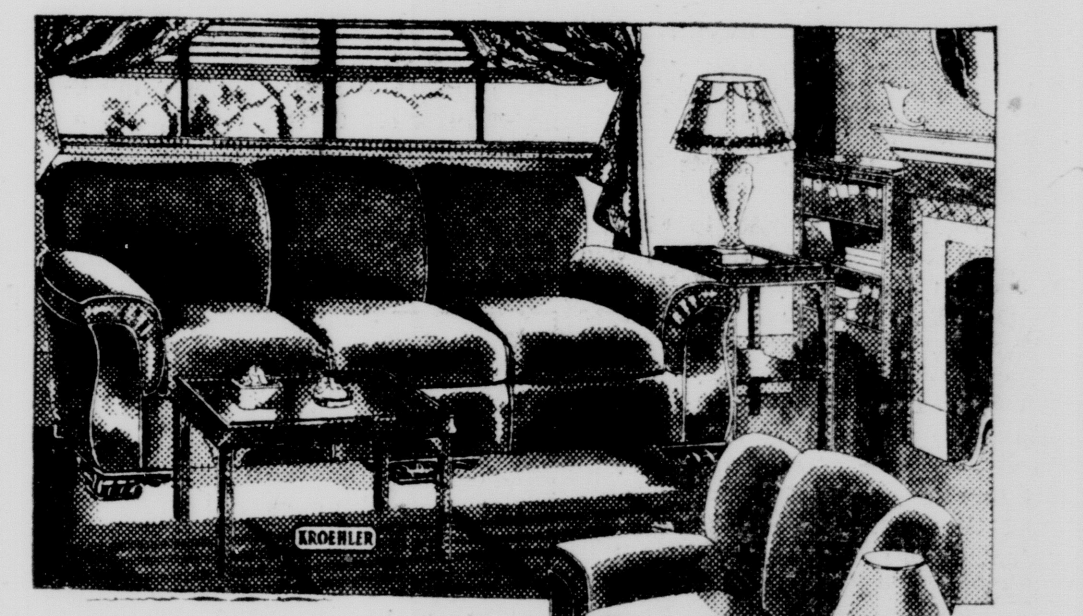
**METAL BEDS**  
**\$11.95**

Modern design, beautiful two tone walnut enamel finish, full size. There are only 10 in stock, so hurry.



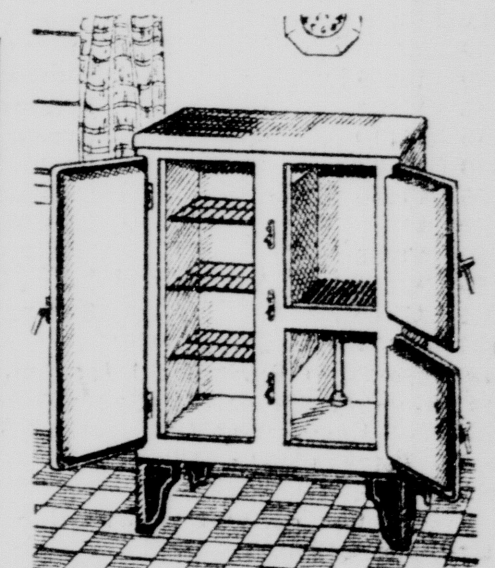
**PORCH SWINGS**  
**\$2.95**

At this price you should not hesitate to buy one. Strong and safe; complete with chains and hooks.



**2 pc. Kroehler Lounge Suite**

One of the best of the new designs—a world of comfort built in a pleasing ribbed tapestry cover—an exceptional value. **\$89.50**



**Metal Refrigerators**  
**\$24.50**

Well constructed—finished in green and ivory enamel—large ice chamber and food compartments. All well arranged.



**BEACH CARTS**  
**\$5.95**

Collapsible, four wheeled rubber tired carriages, sturdily constructed of steel and heavy duck. Folding hood, equipped with brake.

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